INDICATIONS.

FAIR TONIGHT AND SUNDAY; WARMER.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel

"If I had served my God as diligently as I have done my king, he would not have given me over in my gray hairs." —Thomas Wolsey.

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PRESIDENT GOES TO GOPHER STATE

Traverses Wisconsin and is Received by Big Crowds Along the Route

WELCOMED TO MINNESOTA

Elaborate Program Arranged for His Entertainment in St. Paul.

Lacrosse, Wis., April 4.—The presidential train arrived here on schedule time, 8:30, this morning. The president was met at the train by a committee headed by Congressman Esch, Mayor Boschert, C. S. Van Auken, and Joseph Clark. All approaches to the depot were roped off for a block in each direction. Four companies of the Wisconsin National Guard were lined up on either side of Second street, leading to the depot, where the carriages were in waiting for the presidential party and escort. The first three carriages were elaborately trimmed in red, white and blue, and the horses were gaily decorated with ribbons to match.

When the president stepped from the train this morning he remarked on the beautiful day and said he had a good night's rest and was feeling well.

Senator Quarles came on from Milwaukee in the presidential train and was one of the speakers of the morning.

In the carriage with the president were seated Congressman Esch, Secretary Loeb and Mayor Boschert.

The route of the parade extended over about two miles of gaily decorated streets, which were packed on each side with a solid mass of people.

LARGE CROWD GATHERED.

There was a large crowd gathered in Market Square and as the president and Senator Quarles were in good voice only those on the extreme edge of the crowd missed any portion of the speeches.

The president, surrounded by the mayor and distinguished citizens of this and adjacent cities, spoke from a large stand erected for the purpose. Applause was given frequently.

Following a few words of greeting President Roosevelt compared the civil war with the war with Spain and said that while the commanders of the late war did not have a big job to do they did it. The trouble was, he said, that there was not enough war to go around. He then discussed the virtues of good citizenship, referring incidentally to portions of his speeech at Waukesha yesterday regarding unwarranted reflections on other countries sometimes made by Americans.

The presidential train left for Winona and St. Paul at 10:30 a. m.

A STOP AT WINONA.

Winona, Minn., April 4.—The president today, at the request of Congressman Tawney, made a ten-minute stop at Winona which was not on the original program. The train left La Crosse ten minutes ahead of schedule time and the president devoted this time to making a short address here from the rear platform of his car. Mr. Tawney telegraphed the change in the program from La Crosse and a band of music and a large number of people greeted the president at his first stopping place in Minnesota. At the conclusion of his remarks the train started for St. Paul. The strenuous day the people of Milwaukee provided for the president yesterday proved to be very trying to him and he was thoroughly tired out when he reached his car, shortly after midnight. The president appreciated the hospitality of the people of Milwaukee, but it was impossible for him to continue such nerve-wrecking programs and he is afraid if they are continued he will not be able to complete his itinerary.

A throng estimated at 5,000 surrounded the train. The president spoke nearly ten minutes, continuing until the train started to move. He expressed his pleasure at speaking in the home of the late Senator Windom, deceased, whose integrity and statesmanship as shown in congress and the cabinet he greatly admired. He concluded by urging parents to teach their children to "do and not to dodge." Thus, he said, they would learn true manhood and womanhood. Three cheers for the president were proposed by Congressman Tawney as the train pulled out and they were given with a will.

ST. PAUL PROGRAM.

St. Paul, Minn., April 4.—The presidential train is due in this city at 2:30 p. m. The chief executive will be escorted through the principal streets to the capitol, where he will address the legislature, state and city officials and invited guests.

Following this will come an address from a platform at the east front of the capitol for the benefit of the thousands who will not be able to get into that building. After a brief drive, electric cars will be taken to Minneapolis, where a reception and banquet at the Nocolette hotel, a street parade and an address at the armory will finish the day. At 10:30 p. m. the train will leave Minneapolis for Sioux Falls, S. D.

FREEZE DID LITTLE DAMAGE TO CROPS

Reports Indicate That Farmers Will Suffer But Slight Losses.

The hard freeze of last night did not do as much damage to crops as was generally believed, and a number of farmers who were interviewed by a Sentinel reporter today, stated that their loss would be very slight, and confined to the earlier fruits that have already begun to bud. Grain suffered very little, if any, damage, due to the light fall of snow which in a measure protected it from the frost.

From 7 o'clock Friday morning until 6 o'clock this morning, the mercury dropped from forty to nineteen degrees, and while last night wasn't the coldest of the season, it was chilly enough to bring back recollections of the February cold snap. The big drop in temperature was heralded by a thunder and lightning storm early Friday morning, which settled into a steady downpour of rain that turned to sleet and snow during the afternoon, as the mercury dropped. By 6 o'clock in the evening a mantle of white an inch deep covered the ground. The minimum was reached at 6 o'clock this morning, when the thermometer registered nineteen degrees, and from then the mercury has risen slowly.

Deceived by the mildness of the weather, many people in the city "put out" tender young plants that had been carefully nurtured in the house for several weeks and the frost put a permanent crimp in their chances of development.

WILLL HONOR SCOUTS FOR BRAVE DEEDS

Lieutenants Reese and Nickerson to Get Commissions in Regular Army.

Washington, April 4.—First Lieutenants Boss Reese and Frank Nickerson, Philippine scouts, have been recommended by the commander-in-general of the division of the Philippines for commissions in the regular army in recognition of their participation in the fight with San Miguel's forces last month in which the Filipino leader was killed. Second Lieutenant John L. Finlayson, another Philippine scout, who also took part in the fight, has been recommended for promotion, and Otto Heiter, of the postal corps, who shot five of San Miguel's men, losing his arm, has been recommended for a medal of honor.

Judge E. M. Ide, of the Philippine commission, has advised the war department of his arrival at San Francisco from the Philippine islands. Referring to the illness of Governor Taft Judge Ide says it is the result of the governor's recent extended trip through the provinces and that a rest in the hills will accomplish his recovery.

PHILIPPINE LABOR TROUBLE.

Manila, April 4.—Collector Shuster is investigating violations of the contract labor law. Seven imported German lithographers complained to the government that their wages were low, that they had been deceived about the conditions prevailing here and that they had been forced to work. An investigation revealed the fact that many foreign houses are importing men under contract.

LITTLE CHANGE IN STRIKE.

There is practically no change in the strike situation, though the painters and paper-hangers are quietly at work endeavoring to secure signatures to the scale agreement, and announced today that another of the contractors outside the bosses' association had signed. The strikers have named a press committee composed of H. C. Lehnert, Henry Rosselot and John Seitz.

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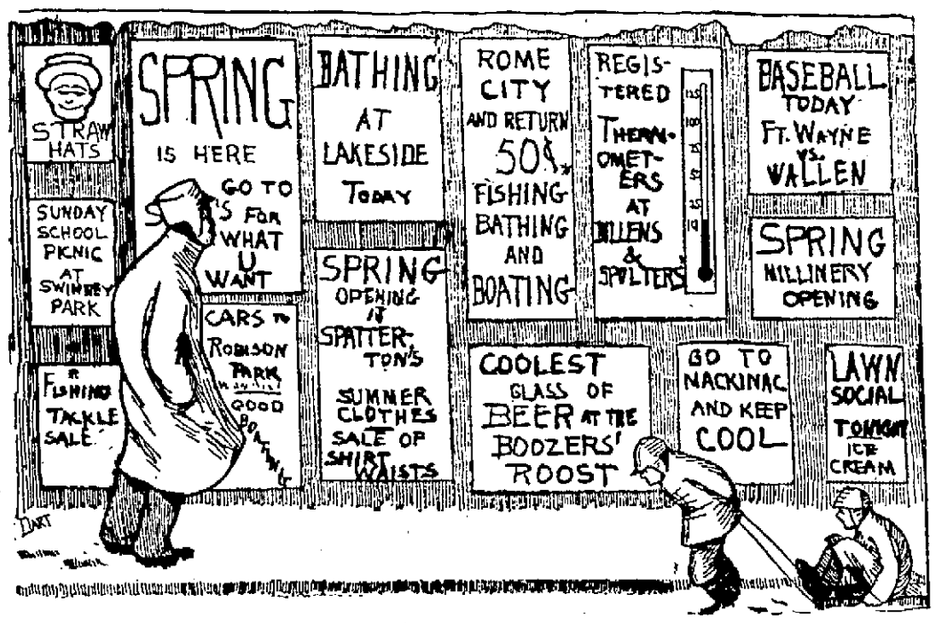
STRAW HATS
SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC AT SWINNEY PARK
FISHING TACKLE SALE
SPRING IS HERE
GO TO S FOR WHAT U WANT
CARS TO ROBISON PARK
GOOD BOWLING
BATHING AT LAKESIDE TODAY
SPRING OPENING OF SPATTERTON'S SUMMER CLOTHES SALE OF SHIRT WAISTS
ROME CITY AND RETURN 50¢
FISHING BATHING AND BOATING
REGISTERED THERMOMETERS AT ALLENS & SPALTERS
BASEBALL TODAY FT. WAYNE VS. WALLEN
SPRING MILLINERY OPENING
COOLEST GLASS OF BEER AT THE BOOZERS' ROOST
GO TO MACKINAC AND KEEP COOL
LAWN SOCIAL TONIGHT ICE CREAM
DART

The Man, the Billboard and the Weather.

FIERCE ATTACK ON LEO TOLSTOI

Father John of Cronstadt Declines Honor Similar to That Given Count

CALLS HIM ANTI-CHRIST

King Edward May Not Visit the Pope--General News of European Lands.

St. Petersburg, Friday, April 3.—Father John of Cronstadt has refused to accept honorary membership in the council of the University of Dorpat, to which he was elected with the view of appeasing the wrath of the clerical party at the election of Count Tolstoi thereto. Father John, in a letter to the university, declines the "degrading honor of being placed on the same footing as that godless man, Count Leo Tolstoi, the worst heretic of our evil days, and surpassing in intellectual pride all former heretics.

"I do not want to be associated with anti-Christ," he says. "Moreover, I am astounded that the council burns incense to an author who is the personification of Satan."

Father John of Cronstadt (Joann Sergieff) is known by name to almost every person in the Russian empire. When he is expected at a railroad station or a house thousands of people gather to see him, and the words "Father John is going to pass" are sufficient to cause the congregation of an immense crowd anywhere. He is the son of poor parents, and from very early years showed that he possessed remarkable powers. As a bachelor of theology he worked among the poor in the Russian capital, and in 1855 he was appointed prothonotary of St. Andrews cathedral, Cronstadt, which post he still holds.

WAS FRIEND OF VICTORIA.

London, April 4.—Margaret Neve, King Edward's oldest subject, died today at her home in Guernsey. For 110 years she preserved her health, strength and even her eyesight and was known throughout the United Kingdom. She was a wealthy woman, lived on a charming estate and gladly welcomed visitors who came to see this old friend of the late Queen Victoria. During the lifetime of the late queen Mrs. Neve never missed sending on her majesty's birthday a telegram of congratulation to Queen Victoria. Her majesty never forgot to return the compliment and had Mrs. Neve's portrait hung in a conspicuous place at Osborne. When at the age of 92 Mrs. Neve went to Cracow to see Kosciusko's monument she enjoyed the trip so much that she went on to Russia, accompanied only by her younger sister, who was 89 years of age.

Among the many accomplishments of Mrs. Neve, who entertained Marshal Blucher shortly after the battle of Waterloo, was a translation which she made of Dantes' works into French. She had been a widow for fifty years. She had no children and in May would have been 111 years of age.

MAY NOT MEET THE POPE.

Rome, April 4.—It seems that the fact about King Edward coming to

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STRIKE ON WABASH WILL BE AVERTED

Representatives of Brotherhoods and the Railroads Getting Together.

St. Louis, Mo., April 4.—Representatives of the Wabash railroad company and the labor organizations to which its trainmen and firemen belong resumed their conference this morning. Colonel Blodgett, general solicitor of the Wabash, stated that there were matters of detail to be decided before the agreement will be signed. He thought that the agreement would be signed some time during the day and that all possibility of a strike would be averted.

PLUMBER UNCOVERS BURIED TREASURE

He Finds $18,000 in a Helena Cellar and Owners Reward Him With $1.

Helena, Mont., April 4.—Buried treasure to the amount of $18,000 was discovered by a plumber under the house at 310 Broadway today. As a reward for his discovery, the alleged owners of the treasure, Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick, gave him $1. The cans evidently had been buried for years.

FRUIT CROP DAMAGED.

Columbus, Ohio, April 4.—Reports throughout the state today are to the effect that the early fruit crop was badly damaged by the frost and snow of last night. Peaches, plums, cherries and apples in bloom were frozen. Clover in the central part of Ohio is reported to have turned black, but it is thought not to be permanently injured. In Knox county fruit in the uplands is reported severely damaged, but the lowlands escaped. In Union county the reports say that the early fruit is damaged beyond recovery. Plum, peach and cherry trees were damaged in Fairfield county.

COMPLAINS OF A RAILROAD.

Washington, April 4.—The City Gas company, of Norfolk, Va., has filed with the inter-state commerce commission a petition against the Baltimore and Ohio railroad alleging excessive and unreasonable rates and that the defendant is receiving more for transporting coal for the city gas company than it demands of others for like service.

FIERCE STORM RAGED.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 4.—The fierce storm that prevailed over the upper lake region yesterday swept down upon northern Ohio last night and early today, playing general havoc with telephone and telegraph wires and lashing Lake Erie into a raging sea. After a precipitation of 1.14 inches the rain turned to snow and the temperature during the thirty-six hours ending at 7 o'clock had dropped 47 degrees. Railroad traffic was delayed today to some extent owing to the prostration of wires in all directions.

Dr. B. V. Sweringen was called to Antwerp, Ohio, on professional business yesterday.

SEIZES THE ARMS OF MACEDONIANS

Bulgaria Taking Active Measures Against Revolutionary Bands.

INSURGENTS FIRED UPON

New Bands of Rebels Appear in Rumelia and Troops are in Pursuit.

Vienna, April 4.—Advices received here from Sofia say the Bulgarian government is taking active measures against the Macedonian bands and has seized a large quantity of their arms, which were hidden in Sofia. Bulgarian gendarmes on the frontier, near Dubnitza, have fired on insurgents who were attempting to smuggle guns into Turkey.

Fresh insurgent bands have appeared in the district of Djuma (Roumelia) and a strong detachment of Turkish cavalry, with artillery, has started in pursuit, going towards the Kresna Pass.

DIES OF WOUNDS.

Salonica, European Turkey, April 4.—It is reported that the Russian consul at Mitrovitza, who was shot in the back by an Albanian sentry there, is dead.

BADE MYERS COMES MONDAY.

Captain Bade Myers, who will be field manager of the Fort Wayne base ball team this season, will arrive in the city Monday to take up the work of preparation for the opening of the season. The balance of the players will arrive Wednesday.

Manager Mautner announced today that arrangements had been made whereby a conflict with the dates of the carnival will be avoided. The team, instead of transferring games, will play sufficient double-headers prior to that date to clean up the schedule for the week of the carnival.

President Bement, of the Central league, has severely "called down" the Wheeling Intelligencer for its recent strictures upon the Fort Wayne management, and asks that the proper correction be made, both concerning the alleged threat upon the part of Fort Wayne to withdraw from the league and the false statement that Manager Mautner had failed to post the $500 forfeit to close the season.

OF UNSOUND MIND.

A commission over which Justice Skelton presided last evening examined into the mental condition of Mrs. Lucy Hepner, of 614 Clinton street, and found that she is of unsound mind. The papers were sent to Goshen to be verified and added to by her family physician there, after which application for her admission to the Richmond asylum will be made.

MARINE BAND TO BE THERE.

Washington, April 4.—The navy department has consented to allow the Marine band to participate in the dedication ceremonies at St. Louis April 30.

THE CLOSING LECTURE.

Prof. George E. Vincent, of Chicago, will deliver the closing lecture of the course on sociology under the auspices of the Woman's Club League in the Commercial club on Wednesday evening, April 8, instead of Tuesday evening. His subject will be "The New Social Philosophy."

GREAT STRIKE IS ORDERLY.

Lowell, Mass., April 4.—Six days have passed since the inauguration of the general suspension of the Lowell cotton mills and the resulting idleness of 18,000 operatives, and no disturbance or trouble of any sort has developed. So far as outsiders are able to learn of the drift of things, a struggle of months is in prospect.

REPUBLICANS TALK OF MANY CANDIDATES

Party is Working Actively to Bring Out Candidates in All the Wards.

With the primaries to be held Monday evening Fort Wayne republican leaders are engaged in an energetic effort to bring out councilmanic candidates in all the wards who will stand for a nomination, but with the exception of the Sixth ward, the race is in no wise furious.

In the First ward John N. Pfeiffer and C. K. Rieman are regarded as most likely possibilities, while in the Second the attention is turned toward Dr. G. B. M. Bower, who is an avowed candidate, and George H. Brown, Fred Ash and Samuel Kelker. In the Third Dr. H. C. Sites, Dr. J. E. Miller and Frank P. Wilt have been mentioned, while in the Fourth among those mentioned are Conductor Hall, Mr. Cook and M. W. Fay. C. B. Woodworth is an avowed candidate in the Fifth, with William Edsall, Dr. C. B. Stemen and John W. Sale also mentioned. Down in the Sixth, which is normally a republican ward, the timber is rather more plentiful. Besides Councilmen Glenn and Griebel, the republicans are considering Fred McCracken, Joe Bursley, B. A. Strawn, Ed N. Detzer, O. B. Fitch and M. S. Willson. The nomination in the Seventh may go to Frank Mungovan and H. B. Vreeland, if they can be induced to accept. William Meyer and G. A. Gable are mentioned in the Eighth, and in the Ninth Arwid Polster, Grocer Shaffer and one or two others are suggested. Jacob Bill and Mr. Sthair, the latter an employe at the Bowser works, are mentioned in the Tenth.

The convention for the nomination of waterworks trustees will be held Wednesday evening, and among the names suggested to make the race are those of Hugh T. Hogan, Edward White, J. H. Simonson, F. L. Jones, G. Haller and J. W. Pearse.

BRIBE TAKERS ARE DECLARED GUILTY

Prosecution of Philadelphia School Board Results in Convictions.

Philadelphia, April 4.—The jury in the case of Thomas F. G. Seixas, president of the 28th sectional school board, Secretary Joseph Travis and B. Frank Browne and David G. Johnson, members of the board, today rendered a verdict of guilty. The men were charged with accepting bribes from women candidates for positions as school teachers. The trial has continued all of this week and the case has attracted much attention. Mayor-elect Weaver, in his capacity as district attorney, has been assiduous in his prosecution of the defendants and succeeded in bringing them to trial despite the efforts of their friends to prevent them from being brought to justice. This is the last case to be tried by District Attorney Weaver, as on next Monday he will be inaugurated as mayor.

TOLEDO HACKMEN STRIKE.

Toledo, April 4.—The strike of the hackmen, instituted today, will make it impossible for the "Ben Hur" and other theatrical companies playing here to remove their scenery and trunks to the depot tonight. The employers' association tried to have the strike postponed until Monday that a conference might be held, but the hackmen scented a scheme on the part of the employers to do a big theatrical business tonight and refused.

WILL GIVE MUSICAL.

The management of the Anthony Wayne club announces a musical to be given this evening for the entertainment of its members.

NEW COMPANIES BEGIN BUSINESS

Three Fort Wayne Institutions Organize and File Articles of Incorporation.

CRAIG BISCUIT COMPANY

And Standard Blank Book Manufaturing Company Perfected Today.

The organization of the Craig Biscuit company, capital stock $50,000, for the manufacture of crackers and other baked goods of similar character, was perfected at a meeting of the stockholders held last evening at the rooms of the Commercial club. Today the articles of incorporation, prepared by Judge W. J. Vesey, were forwarded to the secretary of state.

Forty-five stockholders have subscribed to the capital stock of the Craig company, and the directors chosen last evening include James C. Craig, W. F. Graeter, Charles Curtis, Henry Heit, George A. Durfee, William Geake, M. O. Ginty, Frank Greer, George J. Dannenfelser, N. C. Kettering and W. J. Vesey. The officers are as follows:

President—James C. Craig.

Vice President—George A. Durfee.

Secretary and Treasurer—N. C. Kettering.

The executive committee was empowered to at once proceed with the selection and purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a building. In this will be installed a modern cracker-baking institution as quickly as the work can be performed. In addition to the standard wafers of the ordinary market, the company will also produce a large line of fancy baked goods. Many of those in active charge of the affairs of the new company are practical men who have been brought up in the business and the success of the company is assured from the start.

It is understood that a number of sites are under consideration, but that no location has been finally decided upon.

WILL MAKE BLANK BOOKS.

The Standard Blank Book Manufacturing company, of Fort Wayne, also filed its articles of incorporation today, with a capital stock of $10,000. The company will manufacture loose-leaf ledgers, as well as all classes of blank books, and will do ruling and binding of every description. The incorporators are Robert H. Carnahan, president; Charles D. Tillo, vice president; Harry A. Eberline, secretary and treasurer, and Jacob P. Boehner, manager.

All are well known Fort Wayne business men. It is announced that the equipment of the Standard company will be of the very best, including all the latest and most improved machinery. Each member of the company is especially well adapted by experience and training to conduct the business successfully and the company starts with unusually bright prospects.

The Fort Wayne Steam Specialty company, briefly noted in The Sentinel yesterday, filed articles of incorporation in the recorder's office this morning. The purpose of the company is set out as being the manufacture of a boiler-cleaning compound and the manufacture and sale of other specialties used in steam plumbing, such as valves, gauges, etc. The capital stock is fixed at $15,000 and the incorporators are E. Wesley Puckett, William Eger and Osman R. Manlove, all of this city. The incorporators are also named as the directors for the first year.

IT SUITS GERMANY.

Berlin, April 4.—The German press treats President Roosevelt's speech at Chicago on the Monroe doctrine in a kindly way, the irritation caused by the Dewey interview having passed, and although one or two of the commentaries take the president's reference to boasting as being an arrow shot at Admiral Dewey, the foreign office informs the Associated Press that this is not the view of the German official world, where no one attached an unfriendly impulse to the admiral's remarks. The Tageblatt, in the course of a long and carefully phrased editorial, avers that those who are responsible for making German public opinion cannot say too often that "Germany has not even remote aims for territorial acquirements and that she only wants opportunities to employ her capital and sell her products."

Dr. G. A. Ross has gone to Lebanon, Ohio, to attend the funeral of his father.

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RUN DOWN.

When a phrase is coined out of world wide human experience it is apt to be brief and expressive. We are "run-down" we say in the endeavor to describe a relaxed physical condition, and all the terminology of medicine could not more expressively describe the actual condition than that every day phrase. It suggests the clock, perfect mechanically, but failing to record the passage of time because it is run-down.

People who have that tired out, run-down feeling will find new life in the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This great medicine is far more than a tonic. It cures diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition, and enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of food of which alone all physical strength is made.

"The reason I delayed writing was because I wanted to wait *one year* after I had taken the medicine before giving my statement, and now I can send a good, conscientious testimonial," writes Mr. Chas. H. Sergeant, of Plain City, Madison Co., Ohio. "During the summer and fall of 1896 I became all 'run-down,' nerves were out of order and stomach out of order. I wrote to Dr. Pierce for advice. He said I had general debility, and advised Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and, thanks to you for your advice, I used six bottles; and since I stopped taking it about one year ago, I have not taken any medicine of any kind, and have *been able to work every day*. My appetite is good, I can eat three square meals a day, and I do not feel that miserable burning in the stomach after eating. My blood and nerves are in good shape, and, well—in fact, I think I am in pretty good running order."

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WAS WELL KNOWN RETIRED FARMER

August Blum Expires This Afternoon—Other Deaths and Funerals.

August Blum, a well known retired farmer, died shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon at his home, 620 Sturgis street, at an advanced age.

Mr. Blum formerly lived in St. Joseph township, but came to this city some years ago. He had been seriously ill from grip for some days. Driver David Blum, of the police department, is a son of the deceased.

Funeral announcement will appear later.

DICKERSON.

Joseph, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dickerson, colored, died at 1 o'clock this morning at the family home, 1210 Erie street, from spinal meningitis, at the age of eight years.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from the A. M. E. church.

MANARD.

Mary Manard, eleven years of age, died Friday from typhoid fever at St. Vincent's orphan asylum. The child was born at Muncie.

Funeral services will be held at the home Monday morning, Rev. Father Borg officiating.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Nix.—Funeral services of Mrs. Joseph Nix will be held Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence and at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's Catholic church.

The funeral service at the residence is private.

Treuchet.—Services over the remains of Frank C. Treuchet will be held from the family residence, at 444 Buchanan street, at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning and at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Stahl.—Funeral services of Mrs. Frederick Stahl will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 507 Masterson avenue, and at 2 o'clock from Bethel Evangelical church.

Hartnett.—Funeral services of James Hartnett will be held Tuesday morning at 8:30 from the residence, 1711 Webster street, and at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church.

GENERAL COURT NEWS

Deputy Sheriff Reicholderfer returned to the city last evening having in charge William Lane, the Adams township saloonkeeper, who failed to answer when his name was called in the circuit court yesterday. He was arraigned and gave bond for his appearance next Monday, a neighbor named Weber becoming his bondsman. Lane claims that his failure to appear in court was due to the fact that his attorney failed to notify him of the date of trial.

The superior court will resume business next Monday after a week of vacation. The jury has also been ordered to report on Monday.

The county commissioners were in session today a short time closing up the business of the March term. The April term commences next Monday.

A. L. Griebel, administrator of the estate of the late W. H. Davis, has filed a petition in the circuit court to have the stock of the Wayne Oil Tank company reappraised. He represents that as administrator he has some stock of said company which he has reason to believe is not worth par in the market; he has an opportunity to sell for cash for the benefit of the estate and wants it appraised and permission given to sell at private sale.

J. A. N. Frenzel files suit against James Craig et al. to foreclose a lien; demand $105.

The county commissioners this forenoon awarded to William Kaough the contract for furnishing the county iron sewer pipe for culverts, etc., for the coming year, to be used in road and bridge work. Mr. Kaough's bid was low at $34.40 per ton. There were several other bidders.

County Recorder Gillett is home from Mt. Clemens, where he had been for a week with his son. Mrs. Gillett remained at the northern resort.

Mrs. Minnie Bouvier, of Edgerton, came to the city today and filed an affidavit against Frank Hammond and Lou Boner for assaulting her husband, as detailed in yesterday's Sentinel, and warrants for the arrest of the men were placed in the hands of the sheriff. She stated that her husband was very badly injured and further that the assailants were within easy reach, only they were on the Ohio side of the line. The affidavits were filed in Justice Tancey's office.

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CHICAGO

GOES TO SUPREME COURT.

Chicago, April 4.—At a conference today between attorneys for William Lorimer on the one hand and the election commissioners on the other, it was decided to refer the Lorimer-Durburrow election controversy to the supreme court for adjudication. The stipulation entered into provides that the case shall go to the supreme court on two propositions of law of which it has original jurisdiction. The agreement ends further proceedings in Judge Haney's court for the present. The guard which has been kept over the ballots will be withdrawn.

DIED WITH BOOK IN HAND.

New York, April 4.—With the book that he had been reading still grasped in his hand, Dr. Oscar Steever, a Yale graduate and a profound student, was found dead today in his room. Nearby was a small gas stove, the tube of which was partially disconnected. The room was filled with gas. Dr. Steever had been for years medical examiner of the American Museum of Natural History. There were no indications of suicide.

GRAND JURY WAS TOO FAST.

Chicago, April 4.—Haste involving true bills for prominent board of trade firms yesterday gave rise to an investigation of the action of the grand jury today and caused the state's attorney to interfere with the return of the indictments. The true bills are said to have been voted despite the protest of Assistant State's Attorney Sprogle, who insisted that the testimony introduced did not constitute a prima facie case. When the matter came to the attention of State's Attorney Deneen he at once summoned the foreman of the grand jury and for two hours the men were in conference. At present the grand jury is said to be divided on the question of whether to reconsider the vote or to report the indictments to Judge McEwen.

WINDS DO MUCH DAMAGE.

Columbus, Ohio, April 4.—Heavy rain, accompanied by terrific winds, visited Ohio today. At Zanesville the Harris Brick company was partly wrecked, entailing a loss of $10,000, and the art pottery works were damaged to the amount of $25,000. In Perry county, John Ice lost stock to the value of $3,000. At Portsmouth the steamer Queen City was blown on the shore and badly damaged, but none of the passengers were hurt. The front of the Legeler hotel was blown in and Mrs. Ella McConnell was probably fatally injured.

THE DRINKERS' REGISTER.

One of "the books of the year" has made its first appearance—it is the first number of a serial work known as The Black List, edited and Published by Scotland Yard, and issued under the auspices of the new licensing act.

Its constituency of readers will be mainly confined to the police courts, the police stations and the publicans of the metropolis, and it is in parts illustrated by photographs of the subjects under notice, some of whom are honored with quite comprehensive biographies, including minute details of facial qualities.

The work is an eight-page publication containing the particulars of twenty cases which had been dealt with under the act up to January 8.

It is understood that superintendents of divisions will use their discretion as to which licensed premises and clubs shall be supplied with this record.

The majority of those whose names appear in the first list are women.

Each publican is apprised separately to give attention to certain local cases. The cases treated in this particular work come from Tottenham court road, Westminster bridge road, Whitechapel, Lisson Grove, Kensal New Town, Euston road, Nottingham, Waterloo road, Drury lane and Fulham.

One also learns from the same work that "any person for excessive tippling is to pay 3s 4d, or sit in the stocks four hours; for being drunk, 5s, or to sit in the stocks six hours, if the money be not paid; and the innkeeper, ale house keeper, or victualler for suffering such offenses in his house, upon clear proof, forfeits 10s."

GEORGE R. WENDLING.

From the latest photograph of this famous lyceum orator—author of the series of lectures on Modern Doubt entitled "Unseen Realities," "The Man of Galilee," "Saul of Tarsus," "Is Death the End," and "The Imperial Book." The last named lecture is attracting wide attention as a brilliant reply to the unfriendly critics of the Bible.

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FIERCE ATTACK ON LEO TOLSTOI

(Continued from First Page.)

Rome and the possibility of his meeting the pope are that the king has not yet been asked to visit the pope and therefore all the means suggested for the meeting are problematic. The vatican thinks that owing to the number of Catholics in the British empire, especially in Ireland and Canada, the king will not come to Rome without trying to see the pope, as otherwise it would appear to be an intentional offense. Anticipating the king's visit there is now an element at the vatican advocating a deviation from the ceremonial established at the time of Emperor William's first visit, by allowing the king to start from the British embassy where he will be met by Monsignor Stonor, the canon of St. John Lateran and the highest English prelate here who will accompany him to the vatican. However, it is probable that the king will not go to the vatican if he comes to Rome for one day only, as seems likely, according to the latest information on the subject.

CHAMBERLAIN'S DENIAL.

London, April 4.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain was asked today if there was any truth in the statement made by the Dublin correspondent of the Daily Chronicle yesterday to the effect that the government intends to dissolve parliament at the end of the present session, that the leading plank of the conservative platform would be an enormous extension of local government in Ireland, that the Irish police would be placed under the control of a legislative council, that Mr. Chamberlain warmly supported these projects of the government, and that neither Gerald Balfour, president of the board of trade, nor Mr. Broderick, the war secretary, would be included in the next cabinet. Mr. Chamberlain replied:

"The statements are absolutely untrue, both as they regard myself and as they regard the government generally."

RIOTS IN MADRID.

Madrid, April 4.—The rioting here was continued until a late hour last night. The public joined the mob of students in parading the streets, a black flag was raised and there were cries of "long live the republic," and "death to the minister of the interior." The police charged with drawn sabres and fourteen students and six policemen were wounded seriously. Many others were slightly injured.

The republican party is active, hoping to take political advantage of the situation, especially if the disorders spread.

All the universities of Spain will hold memorial services for the students killed at Salamanca.

Collisions between the police and rioters were frequent during the afternoon. Groups of students incessantly paraded the streets, shouting: "Long live the republic" and "Down with the government," and singing the Marseillaise. Women joined a number of rioters in stoning the police, who charged the mob. A woman was fatally injured.

EDWARD GETS ROSES.

Lisbon, April 4.—King Edward had a novel experience today while visiting the museum of the geographical society. The hall was filled with distinguished people and the floor was strewn with roses. When King Edward, accompanied by King Carlos, entered the hall ladies in the galleries showered rose leaves on the monarchs. King Edward's coat was thickly covered with leaves at which he laughed heartily. Replying to an address of welcome King Edward commented on the unprecedented attention showered on him and said they would fade from his memory.

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Officer Murphy this afternoon picked up a vagrant in the west end of town and sent him to the police station.

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PREACHES ON THE HOME AND THE STATE

Strong Sermon Delivered by Rev. Motschman on a Vital Topic.

One of the most striking of the series of sermons Rev. L. J. Motschman, of Christ's English Lutheran church, has been preaching on "the home" was that delivered last Sunday on the subject of "The Home and the State." Rev. Motschman premised that the home and government are divine institutions. He discussed the relation of the home to the state, the influence of the home upon the state, and in his conclusion dwelt upon the obligation of the state to the home. He said, under this latter head:

We are fully persuaded that this is not recognized very keenly by the average company of lawmakers. They are careful to acknowledge their obligation to political clubs and various business enterprises, especially the liquor business, but how slow are they to recognize the obligation that the state is under to the good home. No one can intelligently review the beneficent influence of the godly home upon the state who will not be compelled to acknowledge that there is no other institution within the state to which the state owes so much as to its noble homes. The state that will not discharge its honest obligations to the home is false to itself, and is pursuing a suicidal policy.

How shall the state perform her duty to the home? This question may be briefly answered, by the enactment and enforcement of proper laws. No lover of the home ought ever to support any man for office who is on the market list of any institution or enterprise whose purpose or operation is unfriendly to the best interest of the home. A man who is for sale either for money or for political influence, is unworthy to be dignified by any office within the gift of honorable people. No matter what our political affiliations may be, we should absolutely refuse our support to every man who is not on the right side of every issue that interests our homes. We are entirely too indifferent about our civic duties. Often, without even a serious thought, we cast our sovereign influence, the ballot, before immoral swine, who seek public office that they may plunder the people and live by unholy gain. Men who have no more regard for the sacred interests of the home than a pack of wolves have for the lambs of the sheepfold. We should keep our eyes upon our servants whom we send to the legislative halls and to the executive office and if they do not do what we sent them there for, we should see to it that they will stay at home the next time. If good citizens would keep track of the conduct of their public servants, those servants would soon turn over a new leaf. We elect them, pay our taxes to pay them and then let them do as they please.

Let us now suggest a few things in which the home is especially interested, concerning which we need better laws, and where the laws are good, a better enforcement of them. In many cases we need only the enforcement of such laws as we have. Here is the hideous running sore in Americanism. We have no respect for our laws and therefore none for ourselves.

We need better laws guarding the marriage covenant. Many have become so indifferent about this that it is not even a civil contract, say nothing about a moral or religious obligation. The conditions under which a home may be started should be most carefully guarded. While every good home is a fortress of great strength to the state, every bad home is like the encampment of the enemy within our walls. There is a third party concerned in every marriage contract. This party is the general public. Some argue that marriage is a sort of a divine right of every individual, no matter what may be his or her intellectual, moral or physical condition. This might be endured if it were true that we live unto ourselves, but "no man liveth unto himself." My right stops at the point where it runs up against your right. Self-defense is the first law of nature, and there is nothing more natural and right than that society should protect itself against an undesirable posterity. All states place some restrictions upon the marriage contract, but these need to be enlarged so as to include all undesirable characters. Stress should be placed upon physical conditions. We pay less attention to the propagation of the race than we do to that of the commonest domestic animal.

Then, too, the dissolving of the covenant should be guarded better than it now is. There should be a national law regulating both the making and unmaking of this contract.

Laws are needed regulating industry, especially that of large corporations. The state should take the part of the home, which is not able to cope with the corporation. No factory should be allowed to employ a child under the age of 16, and only at certain kinds of work under the age of 18. Happily, many states are coming to recognize both the wickedness and folly of child labor.

Laborers should be encouraged to own their homes. Nothing else adds so much to a family's standing as to live in their own home. It is about the only way that a man ever saves any part of his earnings. But we find that laborers are very shy of buying their own homes. And this is due to the fact that they are constantly in the fear that their job may not last. The factory may be closed without any warning to the laborer. In the New England states whole towns have been put out of employment because the corporation found it more profitable to close down the smaller factories. Laborers were compelled to simply forsake their homes. They could not sell them, nor could they live in them, for there was nothing for them to do. This is why labor leaders say to their men, "Do not buy a home." Labor must needs be as movable as capital, and capital owns no flag. It is "the man without a country." Large moneyed institutions should be so controlled by the state as to prevent them from practically throwing away a man's saving which he has invested in a home.

Then, also, we should improve the laws protecting the home against intemperance and immorality. These are the greatest enemies of the home and therefore of the state. Three-fourths of all crimes is charged to the saloon. What claim has this vile and expensive institution upon the state? And yet some of our Allen county statesmen, shall we call them, are more loyal to it than to the home. Indecent literature and pictures, including street advertising of a certain immoral character, should be severely dealt with. The sale of cigarettes should be so severely punished that no man would dare take his chances of being convicted, even in Fort Wayne.

The people's religious rights should be more carefully safeguarded by the state. The Christian Sabbath should be given to every man as a sacred right. Our Christian civilization cannot be maintained without this day. The state should impose a heavy penalty upon any corporation that will compel its men to work on that day.

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The list of guests at the forthcoming second annual public reception of Allen County Homeopathic Medical society, to be held April 17 at the assembly room of the court house, will be a distinguished one, including many of the most eminent homeopathists in America.

Dr. Joseph P. Cobb, president of the National Association of Homeopathic Physicians, and famous for both his practice and his writings on diseases of children, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address on that occasion. Dr. H. B. Hinsdale, dean of the homeopathic medical department of the Michigan state university, will follow with an address on "Homeopathic Pellets and Their Action."

Among the many distinguished guests who are also to be present are H. D. Bishop, editor of the Cleveland Medical Reporter, of Cleveland, Ohio; Frank Kroft, famous as the editor of the "American Homeopathist," published by Chatterton, of New York city; Dr. Crumrine, editor of the Medical Counselor, Detroit, and the secretary of the Indiana State Homeopathic society. Reports of this gathering will be given in every homeopathic journal in the United States and it will carry Fort Wayne's fame into new and wider fields.

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Annual Concert at Wayne Street Church a Splendid Musical Triumph.

The Linden quartet, assisted by the Haydn quartet, Miss Gill, Miss Mathis and Mrs. Clara Zollars Bond, gave its seventh annual concert at the Wayne street M. E. church last evening and delighted a fair-sized audience that braved the disagreeable weather to hear the program.

The event was in no wise disappointing. It measured fully up to the previous high standard attained by these musicians, and again and again last evening the audience manifested its pleasure in rounds of unstinted applause. The musicians, individually and collectively, appeared at their best and the result was a splendid rendition of a program of much merit and selected with unusual taste.

The two quartets blended in rich harmony in their chorus numbers, and the organ solos of Miss Mathis were excellently given. Mr. Riblet was especially pleasing in his solo, singing in splendid voice and with marked expression. The bass solo of Mr. Stouder won instant recognition for its excellence, and he was compelled to respond to an encore, reappearing in a number of superior artistic merit.

Miss Gill, contralto, was also a favorite and the audience rapturously demanded an encore. Her triumph was duplicated a little later in the program by Mrs. Bond, who delighted her hearers in two very charming soprano solos. Mrs. Bond acknowledged the encore in a very pretty lullaby, and still later the two ladies were heard in a duet that was well received. Mrs. Bond, Miss Gill, Mr. Curdes and Mr. Stouder sang a quartet from "Rigoletto" with pleasing skill. In its individual numbers the Linden quartet contributed largely to the success of the evening and in each case there was a demand for an encore. The closing chorus, "The Lost Chord," was given by the two quartets with organ accompaniment, Mr. Worden singing the incidental baritone solo, and the number was one of the most pleasing upon the entire program. Very rarely, indeed, has a musical event more thoroughly enjoyable been given by Fort Wayne musicians than the offering of the Linden quartet last evening. The accompaniments were played by Miss Mathis, Mrs. F. V. Culbertson, Miss Leah Cohen and Mrs. F. E. Stouder.

Following the concert Mrs. T. E. Ellison entertained the musicians in a delightful manner at her home, West Wayne and Fulton streets.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Paul left yesterday for New York city.

Mrs. Frank Edmunds and baby have returned from a visit in Denver.

Miss Abbie Pfeiffer was hostess for the Tuesday Whist club this afternoon.

Mrs. Herman, of Woodland avenue, slipped and fell yesterday, breaking her right leg below the knee.

Dr. Mikesell has returned from Convoy, O., where he was called on account of the illness of his father.

Mrs. W. W. McBride and Miss Maude McBride, of Bluffton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Schoch, of Cass street.

Harry M. Clem, principal of the school at Maysville, has gone to Terre Haute to become instructor in geography at the state normal.

Rev. J. N. Field will read a paper on "A Tenable Theory of Inspiration" at the meeting of the Ministerial association Monday morning.

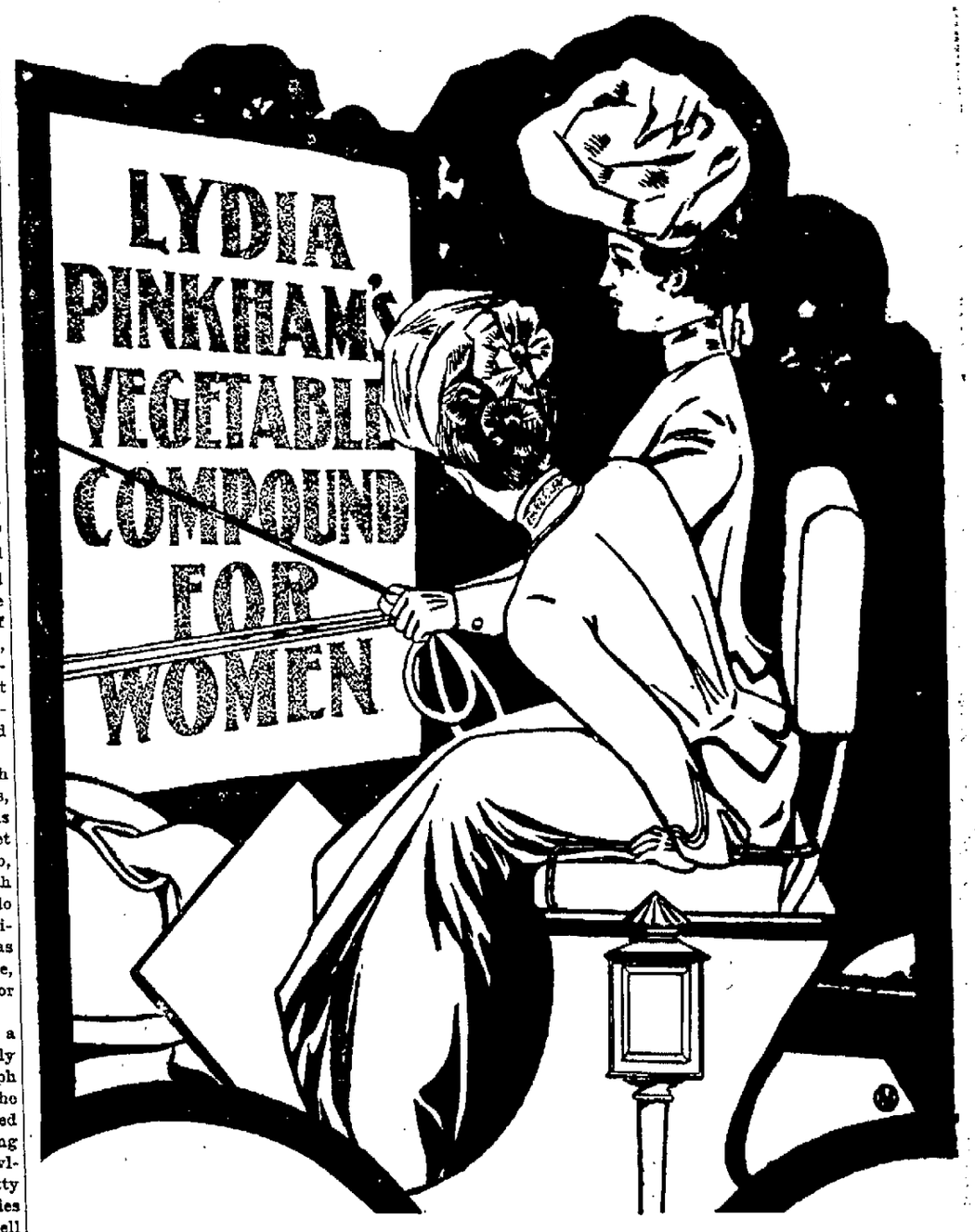
The Wednesday Pedro club was entertained Thursday by Mrs. E. F. Poore. Prizes were won by Mrs. A. W. Heit and Mrs. S. H. Baker. The rooms were very prettily decorated.

A large number of Elks were present at the installation of the new officers, which occurred last evening. Bayard Gray, of Frankfort, was the installing officer. A social session followed the installation ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Poole entertained the Rome City club on Wednesday evening. Mrs. J. E. K. France and Herman Michaels won the first prizes and the consolations were awarded to Mrs. E. W. Cook and Allen Vesey.

SAVES TWO FROM DEATH.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and $1.00 bottles guaranteed by Dreier & Bro. Trial bottles free.



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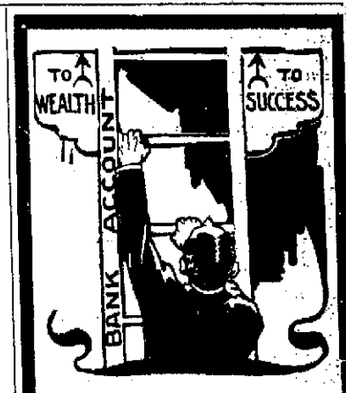

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Blacksmiths, No. 222; Letter Carriers, No. 116.
Fraternal—Rathbone Sisters; Wayne, No. 25, F. and A. M.; Queen Esther, No. 324, D. of R.
Masonic Temple—"Knobs o' Tennessee."

To the scandal of all chaste-thinking folk winter still lingers in the same comfortable but improper seat.

As usual, things happen in politics for which there is not much accounting, but that is not much comfort to the fellow to whom it has happened.

If the usual yowl is raised about the undoing of the little peach bud, there will probably be something in it. Zero weather conducting Easter in is likely to prove hard for more than peach buds.

The Bulgarians have given Turkey an earnest of their intentions. The uprising is yet in its embryonic state, but is sufficiently along to produce bloodshed on a scale that surpasses the most sanguinary engagement of the late war with Spain.

The president insists that to "make good" with the Monroe doctrine we must expand the navy and keep on expanding it. However that may be, it is nevertheless true that at all times when it has been necessary to assert the Monroe doctrine what navy we had was found sufficient. Monroe promulgated the doctrine with little naval power to back it.

Judge William L. Penfield, of Auburn, now solicitor for the state department at Washington, seems to be fairly launched on a distinguished diplomatic career. He will represent the eleven non-allied powers at The Hague convention to consider the Venezuelan claims. Judge Penfield has already won distinction in diplomacy and if a change of administration does not put an end to his career in the state department, he will doubtless reach honors of the first order.

THE COUNCILMANIC TICKET.

The results of the democratic primaries yesterday decree several changes in the make-up of the city council. Some of the members of the present municipal body declined to stand for re-election and others who stood for re-election have gone down before the onslaught of rivals. The ticket with one or two exceptions is to be considered strong and acceptable—in personnel clean and capable and equipped to deal with the municipal affairs. Honesty and earnestness and taste for the detail of councilmanic work are qualities more essential to the equipment of a councilman than brilliant talents and transcendent abilities. Of late years it has been the custom to choose for the council men who are closely identified with the activities of the great body of the people and who in a true sense represent them. Such men take their duties seriously, are punctual, hard-working and conscientious. Such are the men whom the primaries have placed on the democratic councilmanic ticket.

But one overshadowing issue looms up for the next council to deal with. The electric lighting franchise, involving as it does the question of municipal lighting, will doubtless have to be disposed of one way or the other by the incoming council. The street railway franchise matter has happily been disposed of and the recent transfer of the local street railway system to new hands and the probable consolidation of interurban interests with the new ownership may be regarded as permanently settling the interurban policy of the city. So the new council will come in with the way fairly cleared of knotty questions.

The defeat for renomination of Councilman Hosey in the Second ward and of Councilman Scheid in the Seventh ward takes from the council two of its experienced and valuable members. Mr. Hosey's services have been of the most substantial and worthy sort. Few men have ever sat in the council who equaled him in clear-headedness, practical insight and firm grasp of municipal matters. He has not only been highly useful to the city, but his knowledge, intelligence, conservatism and always sane view of city matters have been of the highest importance to his colleagues. Mr. Scheid has had vast experience in the council and his good sense, experience, familiarity with details of work, methods of procedure and trained capacity for the peculiar work of the council have made him an exceedingly valuable and trustworthy member from every point of view. Nothing in his career as a councilman can be held to have contributed to his defeat. His twenty years of service in the council has stood in the way of other aspiring men in his ward and finally after many efforts to put him aside the attempt has succeeded.

The ticket on the whole is satisfactory and will command the support and approval of the party.

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FINE DOG IS POISONED.

A very fine bird dog, the property of George L. Fox, of the Home Telephone company, was poisoned Friday afternoon. The animal was not only very valuable, but highly prized as a pet by Mr. Fox and his family, and its loss is much regretted.

STATE IS SWEPT BY TERRIFIC STORM

Tornado Strikes Washington--Buildings Wrecked and People Injured.

Washington, Ind., April 4.—One of the most destructive tornadoes in years swept over Daviess county shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday, the tail end of the storm sweeping through the business portion of Washington. The storm came from the southwest and when it crossed White river it swept through the country, carrying barns, houses, trees and general destruction with it. At the Wathen district school forty children were eating their dinner when the storm struck the place. As the frightened children huddled about the teachers one end of the building gave way and fell inward.

CHILD FATALLY INJURED.

Those present were on the opposite side of the room, but a child named Smoot was struck with a flying brick and perhaps fatally injured, and several others were hurt. The two-story house of Frank Palmer was razed even with the gables and the main building lifted entirely off its foundations and moved several feet. Mr. Palmer's barn was totally destroyed and valuable machinery lost was in it. The storm ran through the country, uprooting immense trees and raising over twenty barns and numberless outbuildings before it left the county. In the city the south end of the old Christian church was blown down, the wind not only blowing the wall over, but lifting the roof a foot. A number of plat-glass windows were broken in the stores, and chimneys, small outbuildings and trees were leveled. The storm was accompanied by rain and followed by a drop of twenty degrees in temperature and a change of wind to the northwest. There was a light flurry of snow in the afternoon. The damage is roughly estimated at $25,000.

CYCLONE IN FLOYD COUNTY.

New Albany, Ind., April 4.—A cyclone visited the northern portion of Floyd county yesterday afternoon, destroying timber, fences and orchards in its path. The barn of David Kipley, eight miles north of here, was blown down and seven head of cattle were buried in the debris. Two telephone lines in that section suffered great damage. The cyclone was preceded by a gust of hail and came from the southwest. It swept a path 100 yards wide for a distance of several miles.

UNDER FALLING WALLS.

Oakland City, Ind., April 4.—During the windstorm yesterday the south wall of the Oakland City Manufacturing company's building caved in. U. C. May, an employe, was buried under the debris, receiving injuries that will probably prove fatal.

CAUSED A SENSATION.

Halifax, N. S., April 4.—The close of schools and convent at St. Pierre, Miquelon, by the removal of the Brothers of Ploermel of Britanny and Sisters of St. Joseph De Cluny, because of the French law in reference to the religious orders, has caused a sensation on the island and petitions are being forwarded to the French government. The residents of the island also protest against the 200 per cent. tariff recently enforced. The claim is made that the colony is more than self-sustaining and that its wishes are entitled to consideration. Annexation to Canada has been suggested in Halifax.

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GAS COMPANY MAY MAKE PROPOSITION

Directors' Meeting Called in New York to Consider Mayor Berghoff's Letter

Early next week directors of the Fort Wayne Gas company will hold a meeting in New York city, and it is possible that out of it may come a proposition of some sort in relation to the natural gas supply problem in Fort Wayne.

It will be recalled that a short time ago Mayor Berghoff addressed to H. C. Paul, the Fort Wayne representative of President Dieterich, a letter in which the mayor asked if in the light of the present situation with reference to the supply and the expiration of the amended franchise the company had any suggestion to make or any proposition to submit to the city which might aid in the solution of the problem.

Mr. Paul responded in a letter which was printed in The Sentinel at the time, setting forth his personal views and stating that the matter would be referred to the directors of the company. A meeting has been called to consider the matter, and Mr. Paul will leave early in the week for the east to be present at the meeting.

Miss Nina Welch entertained the members of the O. L. C. last evening in a delightful manner. Flinch was the principal diversion. It was decided that the club should give a social in the near future. At a late hour luncheon was served.

Through a confusion of names there may have been an impression that Mrs. Charles A. Hood, of West Butler street, is a daughter of the late Frank C. Treuchet. Mr. Hood asks The Sentinel to state that such is not the case.

MAKING AN ATHLETE.

Proper Food the Most Important Requisite.

Most health or ill health comes from the stomach, depending upon how it is fed. The athlete is very dependent upon the proper food. An athlete of Muncie, Ind., writes: "From a frail, sickly college student of scarcely six score pounds the pure food Grape-Nuts has brought me, through persistent, conscientious use, to a vigorous young athlete, tipping the beam at 152 pounds. For two years the food has been to my stomach what pure air is to the lungs—a source of vigor, health and vitality.

"Having always been a great reader, I frequently while at school missed my meals that I might devote the time to a favorite book, or else I hurried through the meal. This irregularity, omission and hurrying, together with the close application to study, finally told on my health until I was forced to leave school. I must have been in a truly pitiable condition, from what my friends have since told me, although at the time I am sure I did not half realize the seriousness of my case. My parents decided to send me on a trip to southern California.

"On the train I made the acquaintance of a Mr. Weissenger, a wholesale grocer of Chicago, who was interested in my case. He heard my story and advised me to try Grape-Nuts, a food greatly relished by his own family. From what he told me of the food I longed to try it, but I did not expect to find it beyond the Rocky mountains. To my surprise, on arriving at Los Angeles I noticed a box of Grape-Nuts on my aunt's sideboard. That marked the beginning of my health and comfort. Since then I have come to look upon the food Grape-Nuts as a synonym for good health and happiness." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"SIMPLY SET 'EM UP TO THE BOYS"

Jacob Kiste, of Sidney, is Acquitted of Charge of Illegal Sale of Liquor.

Before United States Commissioner T. J. Logan, Friday evening, Jacob Kiste, of Sidney, Kosciusko county, was acquitted of the charge of having sold liquor without the formality of securing a license from the federal government.

Mr. Kiste is a veteran soldier, 64 years of age, and conducts a grocery and restaurant in the little town of Sidney. He was arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Boyd, of Indianapolis, acted as his own attorney at the preliminary hearing and it took but a few minutes to convince the court that there was nothing in the case. Kiste's dismissal quickly followed.

Charles Ward testified that he had entered Kiste's store and asked if he had "anything to take." Ward testified that there was an affirmative response; that Kiste poured him a drink from a bottle for which he threw down a dime on the counter. It was admitted that Ward got the drink all right, but the dispute arose over whether it had been given him or whether it was purchased.

Kiste cross-questioned the witness, and when Ward reiterated the statement that he had thrown down a dime on the counter the accused man declared: "Then it's laying there yet; I never took it." Kiste asserted that he generally kept a little whisky in the house to make herb bitters for a stomach complaint which "bothered him considerable," and that occasionally he "set 'em up to the boys," and believed that he had the right to treat his old friends. The arrest was made upon complaint of a man named Hunter, who had written Deputy Collector McGoogan concerning the case. Kiste asserted that he had had trouble with Hunter, and in quaint terms recounted a pugilistic set-to in which the two were star participants. The entire case was somewhat amusing, but the court believed there was not evidence upon which to hold the man.

CONFESSIONS OF A PRIEST.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For 12 years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for liver and kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by Dreier & Bro. Only 50c.

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The order for piping for the new Baldwin well has been countermanded and a three-inch pipe will be substituted. The two-inch pipe first ordered, it was feared, would not be heavy enough to carry off all the water deposited until other wells are drilled. The supply of water through the salt sand vein never increases, but as new wells multiply decreases in quantity at each well as new ones are drilled. It will be about Wednesday of next week before any accurate measurements of the producing capacity of the new well can be made. Meantime the company is actively preparing to go ahead with another well.

AN EDITOR'S EXPERIENCE

In the Treatment of Humors With Magical Effect by Cuticura

"A tumor came on my neck and in a day or two it was as large as half an orange. I was very much alarmed for fear it was malignant. My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead, I got Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated the tumour. The soreness that had extended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

About five or six years ago my sister had a similar experience, used the Cuticura Remedies with magical effect. I am willing you should use my testimonial, with the further privilege of revealing my name and address to such persons as may wish to substantiate the above statements by personal letter to me." Chicago, Nov. 12, 1903.

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Words of this kind from a druggist mean more than if they came from a man in any other line of business, for the reason that a druggist is acquainted with all the various preparations on the market. He knows which have proven most satisfactory to his customers, and when customers return and call repeatedly for the same preparation he has good reason for believing it to be one of more than ordinary merit. Mr. A. S. Britnell, a druggist, of Hartselle, Ala., who has been handling Chamberlain's Remedies for four years, says: "I use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family with very gratifying results. I prefer it to any other cough medicine on the market and take pleasure in recommending it at all times as a most meritorious remedy."

The services at Concordia Lutheran church will begin tomorrow morning at 9:45 instead of 10 o'clock.

A LOVE LETTER.

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth. 25c at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store.

The city councils of the Catholic Benevolent Legion of Indiana will unite in a progressive pedro to be given at St. Mary's hall April 15.

Theodore Kayser has resigned his position with the Jacobs shoe store to accept a position with Prase, Reed & Co., and will enter upon his new duties Monday morning.

DREADFUL ATTACK OF WHOOPING COUGH.

Mrs. Ellen Harlison, of 300 Park ave., Kansas City, Mo., writes as follows: "Our two children had a severe attack of whooping cough, one of them in the paroxysm of coughing would often faint and bleed at the nose. We tried everything we heard of without getting relief. We then called in our family doctor, who prescribed Foley's Honey and Tar. With the very first dose they began to improve and we feel that it has saved their lives." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Dreier & Bro.

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PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at the Alden farm, 3 miles south of Fort Wayne, on the Winchester road (1 mile north of Hiser's road house and 1 mile south of the Bluffton road), on Tuesday, April 7, 1903, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit: 11 head of milch cows, some fresh; 4 two-year-old heifers, 1 two-year-old steer, and 2 one-year-old steers, 1 two-year-old bull, 1 milk wagon, cans and bottles, and 1 hay rake. TIERNAN BROS.
JACOB GABLE, Auctioneer.

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Little Miss Marguerite Bushman, of 1523 Cass street, is entertaining a number of her little neighborhood friends this afternoon in celebration of her fifth birthday anniversary.

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Wine of Cardui is superior to anything I have ever tried for irregularities. Three years ago I noticed that I became irregular but I paid little attention to it. Gradually the trouble became serious and affected my general health. The flow became scanty and very painful and I sought the doctor's aid. I soon found, however, that his prescriptions did not have the desired effect and when a friend recommended Wine of Cardui I decided to try it and procured a bottle. It helped me at once and I felt greatly encouraged when I noticed the change for the better. At my next menstrual period the pain was less and the flow better and within four months I was perfectly well, regular and without pain.

This is over a year ago and I have not suffered any pains or trouble since. Accept my sincere thanks for your efficient remedy. Miss Adelaide Adams

Because Wine of Cardui cures women so simply, so quickly and so effectively it is the favorite medicine of women today. This medicine brings women health and freedom from sickness by the most simple process—Nature's own way.

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Wine of Cardui strikes at the root of female trouble. It regulates the menstrual flow, making the function regular and healthy, an aid to health instead of a menace. A profuse flow weakens the blood and suppression poisons it. Wine of Cardui, by regulating the flow, gives life and strength to all the generative organs. Bearing down pains disappear and ovarian pains and weakness give way to health.

If you are suffering female weakness you should look after your case at once. All the organs are in sympathy and you cannot tell what a simple case of irregularity will run into if you let it alone.

Go to your druggist today and secure a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui. Take it in your home, in private, and you will thank Miss Adams for her advice.

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, The Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co. Chattanooga, Tennessee.

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Mr. Ziemendorff, 19 Wagner St., Fort Wayne, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending Pa-ca-mph for burns, cuts, swellings and all inflammations. It not only relieves instantly, but quickly heals and cures. I consider it a most valuable household remedy, and think every family should keep a bottle in their home."

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Heinfong	19c
Malted Milk	39c
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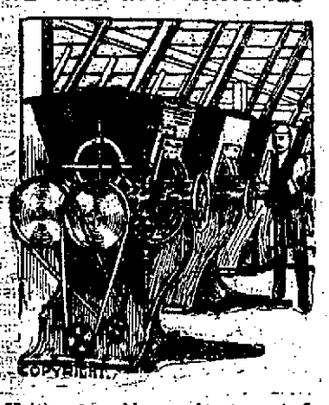

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FITCH SHOE STORE ENTERED BY ROBBERS

Several Pairs of Shoes and Some Cash Taken--News of the Police.

Sometime during the night someone forced an entrance through the rear door of O. B. Fitch's shoe store, on Calhoun street, between Main and Columbia, and abstracted five pairs of fine men's shoes and a few pairs of ladies' shoes from the stock. The robber also attempted to go in through the window and in breaking the glass had evidently cut himself, as a plentiful of blood about the window sill indicates. The robbery was committed some time after midnight, as the tracks in the snow showed, but there was nothing about the foot prints to afford any clue. A board fence about ten feet high had to be scaled before the small court in the rear of the store was reached, but this also afforded an excellent screen for the burglar, whose operations were not detected until the store was opened this morning. Detective Coling is working on the case.

O'REILLEY TAKES APPEAL.

Police court was a sort of a catch-as-catch can affair and was held in three sections. Judge Dreibelbiss came down and learned at the station that no arrests had been made and without going to the court room returned down town. A few minutes later the prosecutor arrived and learning that the judge had left, also took his departure. Meantime H. P. O'Reilley arrived and presented himself to hear what disposition was to be made of the charge against him alleging that he did other than saloon business at his place, corner of Main and Calhoun streets, set for final judgment this morning. The judge was telephoned for and on his arrival O'Reilley's attorney was absent. The judge then fined O'Reilley $10 and costs, whereupon O'Reilley said he would fight the case. He was told it was too late unless he took an appeal. He then appealed and filed a bond for $100. After it was all over the superintendent, who had been out on a robbery case, came in and the normal condition of the headquarters was again established.

DROPPED A BIG ROLL.

Noah Blauser, living at or near Zanesville, reported the loss of a roll of money containing $100 yesterday. He came to town in the afternoon with the money and did some trading, having no occasion, however, to use any part of that particular money. He left for Zanesville in the afternoon and when near home first missed it. He immediately retraced his way on foot, carefully examining the road as far as the poor farm, but without result. He then came to the city and reported the loss. There is little hope of recovering the money, since Mr. Blauser has no idea where he lost it—whether in the city or on his way home.

BOBBY GOT EXCITED.

Yesterday afternoon a team belonging to Christian Baade ran away on West Wayne street, going east. Near the corner of Calhoun the approaching runaways were seen by Officer Bobby Dickson, who ran into the street and placed a trestle barricade belonging to the Barber street repair gang across Wayne street at Calhoun. When the horses reached the barricade they slowed up a little and swerved to one side, giving Dickson an opportunity to clamber into the rear of the wagon, and he had just got hold of the lines when Detective Coling, standing close by, rushed out and caught the horses by the bridle and soon had them stopped. Bobby was so excited that he failed to notice that it was Coling, his brother officer, who was at the horses' heads. In making his official written report of the occurrence he concluded that the team was caught by "a man whose name he failed to learn."

The bicycle found by Officer White in Lakeside was yesterday claimed by William Wartenbe.

There was a little scrap at the Seventh ward poll, corner of Creighton avenue and Calhoun street, last evening. It was claimed that someone was trying to run in some illegal votes, but before the officer on the beat arrived the fight was over and no one present would give any information concerning the participants.

George Arnold, a lad of 16, a runaway from Peru, is being looked for in this city. His father came up last night, but the boy has not been located.

Mrs. Eva Kuntz, the aged woman who so frequently wanders away from home, was at the police station again this morning. She was sent to Lima some time ago, but recently returned to this city. It is now proposed to send her to the county poor house for safe keeping.

G. C. Boyd this morning reported the theft of a valise containing valuables from a moving van yesterday afternoon. He was moving from 236 Douglas avenue to 1205 East Washington street, and among other things on the van was a valise which contained a gold watch, a purse containing anywhere from $8 to $12, some papers, letters, etc. The valise was so placed that it could not have fallen off and it is believed was stolen somewhere en route. He left a description of the stolen articles and the police are today searching the pawn shops and second hand stores for the watch.

Bon Ami

Brightens all kinds of tinware, dippers, cans, pails, pans, etc.

PRESIDENT TALKS ON SUBJECT OF TRUSTS

In Speech at Milwaukee Gives Approval to New Laws to Restrain Them.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 4.—President Roosevelt last night was the guest of the Milwaukee Merchants and Manufacturers' association at a banquet at the Plankinton house, the occasion being the acme of the president's ten-hour visit to Milwaukee. Covers were laid for 530 representative citizens.

The banquet room was canopied with Alabama smilax rising from twelve chandeliers and spreading out in graceful arches. Lines of asparagus ferns trailed from chandelier to chandelier, supporting at regular intervals fern balls and American beauty roses, carnations and other flowers. A thousand electric lights lent brilliancy to the room. The president sat in the center of a long table with other guests of honor. United States Senator Quarles sat on the president's right, while E. A. Wadhams, president of the Milwaukee Merchants and Manufacturers' association and toastmaster of the occasion, sat on his left. Extending in opposite directions from the president's table were twelve other tables, at which the members of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association and their friends sat.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

After the banquet had been served Toastmaster Wadhams introduced President Roosevelt, who responded to the toast, "The President of the United States." The president took this occasion to give his views to the subject of "trusts."

"Mr. Toastmaster, Gentlemen:—Today I wish to speak to you on the question of the control and regulation of those great corporations which are popularly, although rather vaguely, known as trusts; dealing mostly with what has actually been accomplished in the way of legislation and in the way of enforcement of legislation during the past eighteen months, the period covering the two sessions of the Fifty-seventh congress. At the outset I shall ask you to remember that I do not approach the subject either from the standpoint of those who speak of themselves as anti-trust or anti-corporation people, nor yet from the standpoint of those who are fond of denying the existence of evils in the trusts, or who apparently proceed upon the assumption that if a corporation is large enough it can do no wrong.

SPEAKS FOR PEOPLE.

"I think I speak for the great majority of the American people when I say that we are not in the least against wealth as such, whether individual or corporate; that we merely desire to see any abuse of corporate or combined wealth corrected and remedied; that we do not desire the abolition or destruction of big corporations, but, on the contrary, recognize them as being in many cases efficient economic instruments, the results of an inevitable process of economic evolution, and only desire to see them regulated and controlled so far as may be necessary to subserve the public good. We should be false to the historic principles of our government if we discriminated, either by legislation or administration, either for or against a man because of either his wealth or his poverty. There is no proper place in our society either for the rich man who uses the power conferred by his riches to enable him to oppress and wrong his neighbors, nor yet for the demagogic agitator who, instead of attacking abuses as all abuses should be attacked wherever found, attacks property, attacks prosperity, attacks men of wealth, as such, whether they be good or bad, attacks corporations whether they do well or ill, and seeks in a spirit of ignorant rancor to overthrow the very foundations upon which rest our national well-being.

PROBLEMS CONFRONT US.

"In consequence of the extraordinary industrial changes of the last half century, and notably of the last two or three decades, changes due mainly to the rapidity and complexity of our industrial growth, we are confronted with problems which in their present shape were unknown to our forefathers. Our great prosperity, with its accompanying concentration of population and wealth, its extreme specialization of faculties, and its development of giant industrial leaders has brought much good and some evil, and it is as foolish to ignore the good as willfully to blind ourselves to the evil.

EVIL IN SOCIAL CHANGES.

"The evil has been partly the inevitable accompaniment of the social changes, and where this is the case it can be cured neither by law nor by the administration of the law, the only remedy lying in the slow change of character and of economic environment. But for a portion of the evil, at least, we think that remedies can be found. We know well the danger of false remedies, and we are against all violent, radical and unwise change. But we believe that by proceeding slowly, yet resolutely, with good sense and moderation, and also with a firm determination not to be swerved from our course either by foolish clamor or by any base or sinister influence, we can accomplish much for the betterment of conditions.

"Many of the alleged remedies advocated are of the unpleasantly drastic type which seeks to destroy the disease by killing the patient. Others are so obviously futile that it is somewhat difficult to treat them seriously or as being advanced in good faith. High among the latter I place the effort to reach the trust question by means of the tariff. You can, of course, put an end to the prosperity of the trusts by putting an end to the prosperity of the nation; but the price for such action seems high.

NAMES THE COURSE.

"The alternative is to do exactly what has been done during the life of the congress which has just closed—that is, to endeavor, not to destroy corporations, but to regulate them with a view of doing away with whatever is of evil in them and of making them subserve the public use. The law is not to be administered in the interest of the poor man as such, nor yet in the interest of the rich man as such, but in the interest of the law-abiding man, rich or poor. We are no more against organizations of capital than against organizations of labor. We welcome both, demanding only that each shall do right and shall remember its duty to the republic. Such a course we consider not merely a benefit to the poor man, but a benefit to the rich man. We do no man an injustice when we require him to obey the law. On the contrary, if he is a man whose safety and well-being depend in a peculiar degree upon the existence of the spirit of law and order, we are rendering him the greatest service when we require him to be himself an examplar of that spirit."

CHRONIC BRONCHITIS CURED.

"For ten years I had chronic bronchitis, so bad at times I could not speak above a whisper," writes Mr. Joseph Coffman, of Montmorenci, Ind. "I tried all remedies available, but with no success. Fortunately my employer suggested that I try Foley's Honey and Tar. Its effect was almost miraculous, and I am now cured of the disease. On my recommendation many people have used Foley's Honey and Tar, and always with satisfaction." Sold by Dreier & Bro.

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FOUND DYING OF WOUND.

Fort Collins, Col., April 4.—Frank Ayres, who about two years ago publicly charged his wife with being a member of the notorious Bender family of Kansas, was found shot through the head and mortally wounded near his home in Owl canon, twenty miles northeast of here. A ranch hand who reported the case to the authorities said he was riding by and heard the shots. Upon investigation he found Ayres lying on the ground, with a revolver and rifle beside him. He has been detained pending investigation by the coroner.

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POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

Rome, April 4.—Dr. Lapponi, the pope's physician, in an interview today relative to the current reports that the pontiff had become permanently enfeebled as a result of his recent illness, made a denial of the statements made. He declared the pope was in perfect health and added that the pontiff continues his audiences and performs his habitual occupations. Owing to his advanced age, however, Dr. Lapponi has counseled the pope to limit the number of his audiences and accordingly these will be suspended during holy week, although he will receive the foreign pilgrims on Wednesday next.

A SWEET BREATH

is a never failing sign of a healthy stomach. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. There is no remedy in the world equal to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for curing indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Mrs. Mary S. Crick, of White Plains, Ky., writes: "I have been a dyspeptic for years—tried all kinds of remedies, but continued to grow worse. By the use of Kodol I began to improve at once, and after taking a few bottles am fully restored in weight, health and strength and can eat whatever I like." Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Meyer Bros. & Co.

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INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK.

Trenton, N. J., April 4—An amended charter of the United States Packing company was filed with the secretary of state here today. The new charter provides that the board of directors of the company may increase the capital stock of the company from $1,000,000 to $4,000,000. It also provides that the preferred stockholders shall receive 6 per cent. before any dividends are declared on the common stock. It also provides that the company shall have offices in and out of the state. One must be in the state, and the stock books shall be open for examination except when an examination is desired for the purpose of bringing suit, and in that case the resident agent may refuse access to the books.

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Robert Ward, Maxeys, Ga., says: "I suffered from blood poison; my head, face and shoulders were one mass of corruption, aches in bones and joints, burning, itching, scabby skin, was all run down and discouraged, but Botanic Blood Balm cured me perfectly, healed all the sores and gave my skin the rich glow of health. Blood Balm put new life into my blood and new ambition into my brain." Geo. A. Williams, Roxbury, face covered with pimples, chronic sore on back of head, suppurating swelling on neck, eating ulcer on leg, bone pains, itching skin cured perfectly by Botanic Blood Balm—sores all healed. Botanic Blood Balm cures all malignant blood troubles, such as eczema, scabs and scales, pimples, running sores, carbuncles, scrofula, etc. Especially advised for all obstinate cases that have reached the second or third stage. Improves the digestion; strengthens weak kidneys. Druggists, $1. To prove it cures, sample of Blood Balm sent free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. Sold in Fort Wayne by Ranke & Nussbaum, 828 Calhoun street.

James Goodfellow returned last evening from a ten days' visit at West Baden Springs.

The Smile that Won't Come Off

The Smile that means delight and mirth,
The Smile that beams around the earth,
The Smile that smiles for all it's worth—
The Smile that Won't Come Off.

The Smile that widens in delight,
That makes all frowns fly out of sight,
The **Quaker Oats** Smile—
—**that's** all right!
The Smile that Won't Come Off.

Disheartened Women

Half of the pains of womankind ascribed to peculiarities of the sex are really due to bad liver and kidneys. The result, if the symptoms are neglected, is the same, however. The weakened condition of the patient due to mal-nutrition is aggravated by mechanical displacement caused by bloated intestines.

PEPTORENE THE HEALTH TABLET

will restore such women to health and happiness though gallons of female complaint specifics may have been taken without benefit, and scores of doctors given them up as hopeless. The strengthening effect of Peptorene will help the worst case of female trouble. No matter what the cause of your being unwell, Peptorene helps by reaching the seat of health, the stomach. It

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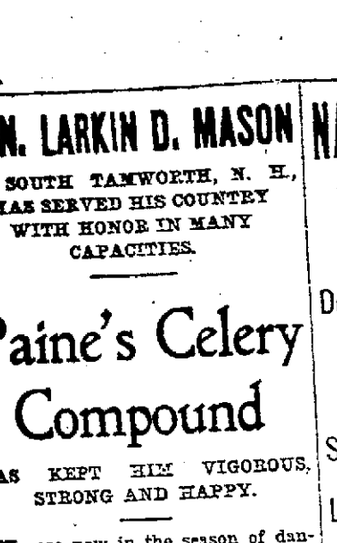
HAS KEPT HIM VIGOROUS, STRONG AND HAPPY.

We are now in the season of dangers and perils, and the tens of thousands of ailing and half-dead people should be brought to realize that they are standing on dangerous ground. This is specially true of men and women advanced in years.

The spring season, with rapid changes from warmth to frost, from clear, dry weather to chilling rains and piercing winds, is the time when aged men and women suffer most; it

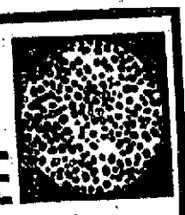


LARKIN D. MASON.

is the time when weakness, nervousness, insomnia, rheumatism, neuralgia and digestive troubles are most common. At this time the fact cannot be too strongly impressed upon aged people and those who care for them, that Paine's Celery Compound is what they need to renew their physical and mental powers. This great medicine enriches the poor and watery blood, braces the nerves, gives vitality, energy, restful sleep and healthy appetite. Let us all endeavor at this time to make the dear old people in our homes happy, vigorous and contented. We can do the blessed work by giving them Paine's Celery Compound. Hon L. D. Mason, aged 92 years, writes as follows after a long experience with Paine's Celery Compound:

"When I reached 80 years of age, I found my digestion growing feeble and my kidneys inactive. Although my store was well supplied with medicines, I had nothing that could meet my case. My grandson from Boston brought me a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and it helped me. I made further experiments, and the result was, for the last seven years I have taken Paine's Celery Compound regularly, and now at the age of 92, I am smart and active. My son is selling Paine's Celery Compound in our store, and those who buy it praise it highly."

GERMS OF DISEASE



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NAME CANDIDATES FOR CITY COUNCIL

Democratic Voters Express Aldermanic Choice in the Ward Primaries.

SOME VETERANS RETIRED

Lively Contests in Several Instances—City Convention Tonight.

THE TICKET CHOSEN.

First ward—W. C. Baade, Peter Hankenius.

Second ward—Frank J. Baker, H. A. Wiebke.

Third ward—E. J. Lennon, J. J. O'Ryan.

Fourth ward—John J. Bauer, D. F. Hauss.

Fifth ward—Adolph Foellinger, Walter R. Seavey.

Sixth ward—Sylvester McMahon, Henry C. Schwartz.

Seventh ward—Ferdinand Meier, Michael Kinder.

Eighth ward—E. C. Miller, Fred Gombert.

Ninth ward—C. P. Sordelet, J. C. Figel.

Tenth ward—Philip Wyss, John Zelt.

Democratic voters of Fort Wayne, expressing their preference at the ward primaries Friday evening, selected the councilmanic nominees upon which democracy will go before the people in the coming city campaign, and despite the fact that the weather was intensely disagreeable during the entire time the polls were open, there was much interest in the result.

Snow, sleet and rain, driven by a chill wind that penetrated deeply, served, no doubt, to lessen the vote somewhat, and in wards where there was no contest it was extremely light. In marked contrast to this were the wards where there was a contest for the nominations. Notably in the Second and the Seventh wards there was the liveliest sort of interest and the skirmish for votes was marked by all the activity which characterizes a general election. Yet the contest was orderly and no trouble was reported save an instance in the Seventh ward, where opposing factions resorted to a mild exhibition of pugilistic argument, which, however, soon subsided.

FAMILIAR NAMES GONE.

Two veterans in the council—W. J. Hosey in the second ward, and Peter Scheid in the Seventh—failed of renomination. The Second ward presented a three-cornered contest between Messrs. Hosey, Baker and H. A. Wiebke, and the ward had been thoroughly canvassed by each of them. The count of the votes disclosed that Mr. Wiebke had beaten Mr. Hosey. In the Seventh ward Councilman Scheid, who has never before known defeat in a public service of twenty years, went down before the aggressive campaign of Michael Kinder, a young contractor and builder. Sylvester McMahon and Henry C. Schwartz, both of whom have served in the city council before, were nominated in the Sixth, while in the First, Third, Eighth and Tenth wards there were no contests. In the Fifth Mr. Foellinger was renominated. His colleague, Mr. Zurbuch, did not enter the race, and Walter R. Seavey won out over Theodore Seabold for the place. Councilman Bauer, in the Fourth ward, was renominated handily, and his running mate upon the ticket is Daniel G. Hauss, a prominent young labor leader, who won over Charles G. Fox.

VOTE IN THE WARDS.

Aside from the councilmanic nominees, delegates to the city convention and members of the democratic city central committee were also selected, and the vote in the various wards was as follows:

—First Ward.—

For councilmen—First precinct—Baade, 29; Henkenius, 29. Second precinct—Henkenius, 39; Baade, 39.

Delegates—William Schwier, Chas. Taylor, William Wehrs, Louis Waltemath, William Niemeyer.

Committeemen—Charles Taylor and C. J. Weiler.

—Second Ward.—

For councilmen—South precinct—Hosey, 93; Wiebke, 118; Baker, 82. North precinct—Hosey, 93; Wiebke, 130; Baker, 149.

Delegates—H. A. Plumadore, F. J. Mannix, J. J. Reed, A. Roboe, B. Ungemach.

Committeemen—F. J. Mannix, Dr. A. H. MacBeth.

—Third Ward.—

For councilmen—North Precinct—Lennon, 39; O'Ryan, 39.

South precinct — Lennon, 45; O'Ryan, 45.

Delegates—John J. Lynch, Frank McNulty, James Hays, Charles O. Lepper, John J. Ryan.

Committeemen—John Phillips and Frank E. Purcell.

—Fourth Ward.—

For councilmen—North precinct—Bauer, 125; Hauss, 131; Fox, 17. South precinct—Bauer, 101; Hauss, 97; Fox, 22.

Delegates—Christ Hahn, Joseph Mommer, Peter Kindt, Michael Hogan, Con Sullivan, Frank Witte.

Committeemen—Dennis Kiley and Frederick Link.

—Fifth Ward.—

For councilmen—South precinct—Foellinger, 131; Seavey, 123; Seabold, 66. North precinct—Seavey, 51; Foellinger, 55; Seabold, 49.

Delegates—Henry Wiese, Henry Colerick, Roy Gaskill, Albert Pievert, Louis Russell.

Committeemen—J. S. Hines and Charles Haag.

—Sixth Ward.—

For councilmen—East precinct—McMahon, 26; Schwartz, 56; Greer, 33; Lehman, 14. Central precinct—McMahon, 61; Schwartz, 42; Greer, 63; Lehman, 4. West precinct—McMahon, 71; Schwartz, 59; Greer, 31; Lehman, 3.

Delegates—John H. Welch, John Schoef, J. C. Kimmel, Frank Rohan, William Buck.

Committeemen—William H. Fuhrman and J. S. Miller.

—Seventh Ward.—

For councilmen—West precinct—Scheid, 42; Kinder, 77; Meier, 46. East precinct—Scheid, 94; Kinder, 187; Meier, 116.

Delegates—Thos. McLaughlin, John Weimer, Frank Connors, Frank Deck, Joseph Treuchet.

Vote for committeemen was not given. The candidates were James H. Fry, Frank Rosenberger, William Goodfellow and Michael Koehler.

—Eighth Ward.—

For councilmen—First precinct—Miller, 58; Gombert, 58. Second precinct—Miller, 51; Gombert, 50.

Delegates—Walter Immel, Ed Nieman, Dr. M. Harrod, L. Lawrence, Joseph Doyle, B. W. Werkman.

Committeemen—Louis Linker and T. J. White.

—Ninth Ward.—

For councilmen—Figel, 164; Sordelet, 136; Coover, 101.

Delegates—A. E. Melching, Theodore Dodane, Joseph Litot, John Schmidt, W. Baade.

Committeemen—A. E. Melching, B. F. Johnson.

—Tenth Ward.—

For councilmen—South Precinct—Wyss, 108; Zelt, 106. North precinct—Wyss, 45; Zelt, 45.

Delegates—Otto Bengs, August Gosda, Barney Roth, Edward Pliett.

Committeeman—B. Roth.

—The Totals.—

Following are the total votes in the different wards:

First Ward—Baade, 68; Henkenius, 68.

Second Ward—Hosey, 191; Wiebke, 248; Baker, 231.

Third Ward—Lennon, 84; O'Ryan, 84.

Fourth Ward—Bauer, 226; Hauss, 223; Fox, 39.

Fifth Ward—Seavey, 174; Foellinger, 186 Seabold, 115.

Sixth Ward — McMahon, 153; Schwartz, 157; Greer, 127; Lehman, 21.

Seventh Ward—Scheid, 136; Kinder, 264; Meier, 162.

Eighth Ward—Miller, 109; Gombert, 108.

Ninth Ward—Figel, 164; Sordelet, 133; Coover, 101.

Tenth Ward—Wyss, 153; Zelt, 151.

CONVENTION TONIGHT.

This evening at 7:30, in the assembly room at the court house, will be held the democratic city convention for the nomination of candidates for waterworks trustee. The six candidates announced for the three places include W. J. Lonergan, Joseph Haley, sr., Peter M. Braun, William S. Bittler, Martin Nagle and William D. Henderson, and there is certain to be a lively interest in the outcome of the convention.

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The coffee habit is quickly overcome by those who let Grain-O take its place. If properly made it tastes like the best of coffee. No grain coffee compares with it in flavor or healthfulness.

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EUROPE LIKES THE PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

Utterances on the Monroe Doctrine Are Favorably Commented On.

New York, April 4.—The strenuous note of President Roosevelt's Chicago speech arises above the tumult of the Balkans and court functions at Lisbon and Copenhagen, cables the Tribune's London correspondent. The speech is reported fully in the general press dispatches and commented upon favorably as an authoritative exposition of the policy of the United States government. The closeness and impartiality with which the president balances the good faith of the British and German governments in the Venezuelan affair causes disappointment among those anxious to secure preferential treatment in favor of England, but the passages dealing with the inter-oceanic canal and the development of American naval power are welcomed as proofs that buncombe has gone out of favor and that action has taken the place of vague blustering. The altruism of the president's speech is not understood in the capital of an empire which has been built up on the principle of enlightened self-interest. The objection is raised by some writers that trouble will arise whenever the European power finds itself powerless to obtain redress in Spanish America unless by the seizure of territory, and the "little England" controversialists are puzzled by the demand for a stronger navy, when the Monroe doctrine has been sanctioned by Great Britain and Germany. The address, as a whole, greatly increases the president's prestige abroad, and it was already unique.

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SHAMROCK LEAVES THE CLYDE.

Gourock, Scotland, April 4.—The Shamrock III left here today for Weymouth, in tow of the Erin. The Shamrock III will return to the Clyde in the middle of May, when she will be jury-rigged. The challenger will sail for America at the end of May.

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DRIVERS GO ON STRIKE.

Shamokin, Pa., April 4.—The drivers and loaders at the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron company's Burnside, Bear Valley and Sterling collieries went on strike today because the company refused to agree to give them nine hours work on Saturdays if they quit toil at 3 o'clock. Heretofore they received a full day's work by starting at 7 a. m. and quitting at 4 p. m. Fifteen hundred men and boys were rendered idle.

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HAYTIEN CABINET RESIGNS.

Port-Au-Prince, Hayti, April 4.—The cabinet has resigned, owing to the senate having passed a vote of censure against the ministers for their failure to take proceedings against those who were responsible for the interruption of the sitting of the chamber of deputies March 30 by the firing of rifle shots. It was reported at the time that the disturbance was due to the complicity of certain of the ministers.

AFTER LA GRIPPE—WHAT?

Usually a hacking cough and a general feeling of weakness, often leading to fatal results after the patient is supposed to have passed the danger point. Foley's Honey and Tar is guaranteed to cure the "grippe cough" and make you strong and well. It never fails to stop a cough if taken in time. Take no substitutes. Dreier & Bro.

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Worse in the Morning.

That's the trouble with bad backs.
Night brings no rest—lying down, or standing up, the ache is there.
Morning come, and it is worse than ever.

Kidneys are to blame. They're sick—Can't do the work nature intends them to do—

There's no end to the backache until the kidneys are made well—and there's only one way to make the kidneys well.

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That's the secret of well kidneys. Hundreds of Fort Wayne people will tell you so. The Little Conqueror of Kidneys Ills has been making conquests in Fort Wayne for years. Your own friends and neighbors have been cured—Could you ask any better proof than their testimony?

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Mrs. Fred Faiffer, of 26 Schick St., says:—"My back ached all the time and caused me much suffering. At the same time I had other symptoms common to disordered and weak kidneys and I was so lame I could not stoop. Doan's Kidney Pills, sold at Meyer Bros. & Co.'s drug store, cured me."

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Said One Woman to Another

"Queer, isn't it, what creatures of habit we women are? We get in the habit of doing certain things and keep on doing them year after year, even when we have been told time and time again of a better way."

And so it is. Take for example soda crackers, or biscuit, probably there isn't a woman in the land who wouldn't say she knew all about **Uneeda Biscuit,** but as a matter of fact millions of women know nothing about them, or they would never again buy loose soda crackers in a paper bag.

When soda crackers are packed the ordinary way every cracker must be handled several times before it leaves the bakery. When the cracker box reaches the grocer, he, of course, uncovers it, the air and dust and flies get in and destroy the crispness and flavor of the crackers. Every time there is a call for crackers they must be handled again and again.

Every woman knows the above to be true, for she has seen it over and over again. Why then does anyone continue to buy crackers in this way?

It is not the price, for **Uneeda Biscuit** are only 5 cents.

It is not a question of taste, because everyone likes **Uneeda Biscuit.**

It is habit—simply habit.

Every woman by this time ought to know the advantages of buying **Uneeda Biscuit.** They are baked in the cleanest of bakeries, under the most rigid system of cleanliness and care. When they come from the oven they are immediately packed in In-er-seal Packages, an airtight, germ and moisture proof covering, which not only protects them from contamination, but actually preserves their original flavor until the package is opened.

Economy, cleanliness, healthfulness and delicacy are all found in **Uneeda Biscuit** in In-er-seal Package with red and white seal, and every careful housewife ought to know these facts, and knowing them should insist on having **Uneeda Biscuit.**

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Baseball Gossip.

Central League News Interchange Special.

South Bend, April 4.—In the history of base ball there is no mention made of a minor organization which has begun its career under more favorable circumstances than the Central league. Backed by the influential papers of the cities on the circuit and controlled by business men of ability, the league, with the financial end secure, will pass through a most successful season and this is all that is desired.

South Bend's ante-season of base ball will open tomorrow afternoon at Springbrook park, Manager Angus Grant having arranged to play the first of a three game series with the Toledo American association team. As the locals did not report until Wednesday and scarcely know each

WILLIAM BEEKER.
Louisville pitcher signed by President Mautner.

other it is not expected that the Central leaguers will make a brilliant showing tomorrow. Toledo has been in training ten days and from the reports sent into the city from the university of Notre Dame, where the squad is working, the Ohio men are rapidly rounding into shape. The second and third games of the Toledo-South Bend series will be played April 11 and 12.

The arrival of the van guard of South Bend's league last Tuesday afternoon dispelled all doubt as to the size of the men and for the first time in many years local fandom can boast of enjoying the antics of an aggregation of giants, at least there will not be a team of "rabbits" wearing uniforms of the Greens.

Ray Hines, the Wolverine pitcher, heads the list with height and weight standing six feet two and tipping the scales at 214 pounds. Following Hines is Spangler, his six feet one inch and 192 pounds of avoirdupois making him a fit companion for Pitcher Philpot, who also boasts of six feet one inch. Cogswell at present weighs 200 pounds, but expects to train down to about 190 before April 30. "Duke" Carr, the soldier outfielder, Catcher Thompson and that old South Bend favorite, James Outcalf, lack just one-half inch of being six-footers, while Moffit, the local man who will try for the box, is shy only one inch. Of the other men Meller, Hogan, Harris and Renn are above the five-foot ten inch mark.

South Bend fans, like those of other cities, are always interested in the past and future career of their favorite knight of the diamond and this year more than usual. The admission of South Bend to league circles has created an interest in the national game and the men who play on the diamond, which surpasses that which was shown in the days when South Bend became prominent in the sporting world by presenting the west with a team of independent champions that trimmed all the minor league nines which cared to play exhibition games in the city.

Rudolph H. Horst.

MARION IS NOW READY.

Central League News Interchange Special.

Anderson, Ind., April 4.—Manager Lindsay says that he feels sure that he is going to have a winning team. "I think I know just who I have signed," said Lindsay. "Twenty men are now on contracts and they are twenty sober, clear-headed fellows. There is not a boozer among them."

Manager Lindsay has sent out final notice to all of his men to report in this city by next Monday morning. He expects most of them here by Sunday night. Practice will begin at the fair ground next Monday morning, and two teams will play against each other until Thursday, when the public will have a chance to what Anderson is to have for a base ball team. Two teams from among the twenty men signed will be lined up for their first game to demonstrate their ability on next Thursday. Then from among the men who show up best a team will be picked for three games with an independent team from Muncie. It will be here on April 10, 11 and 12. Toledo, O., will come on the 13th, and Indianapolis on the 15th. Anderson will go to Muncie to play on the 17th, 18th and 19th. An independent team from Sidney, O., will come to play Manager Lindsay's men on the 22d, 24th and 25th, and Anderson will go to Sidney to play on the 26th and 29th. The Central league season will follow, and Anderson will start off at Dayton.

Manager Lindsay said yesterday that he is not going to protest the league schedule, although Anderson and Marion each have to play twenty-eight straight games on home grounds. Lindsay concludes that it might interfere with the starting of the season, and, while he would have fewer straight games at home, he will go ahead with his men. The Anderson team will have the benefit of the opening games at Dayton and at Marion and in this city and will have two of the best holiday games on home grounds.

Anderson has not yet decided who will be captain of the team. The manager is after another player, and it may be a man yet unsigned who will be captain.

Harry W. Crull.

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BASEBALL SOON OPENS

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NATIONALS BEGIN APRIL 15.

Progress of American League—The Case of Delehanty and Davis—Beaumont In the "Hall of Fame"—The Minor Leagues.

If you meet a man on the street these days whose face is beaming with smiles and whose whole attitude betokens a light, cheery heart, take out your little memorandum book and immediately jot him down as a "fan," for the "fans" are the happiest people along the line just now, and well they may be. Their long winter of discontent has now passed, and with the spring days comes the opening of the baseball season and its accompanying delights.

ED ("DIC") DELEHANTY, THE FAMOUS BATSMAN.

Every baseball player in the profession should be thankful for the existence of the "fans," even if they are prone to dwindle poor plays in a manner distinctly unflattering and to continually offer suggestions as to the proper methods for pennant winning. The "fans" are the real, simon pure enthusiasts. They worship baseball and baseball players even as a Chinese laundryman bows to joss and chop suey, and they alone keep alive the traditions of the old time days when Billy So-and-so held the Swatters down to a single hit in thirteen innings and when in the ninth inning, with three men on bases, in the deciding game of the year Eddie Slugger sent the ball over the center field fence for a home run, winning the pennant for the Bugtown Biffers.

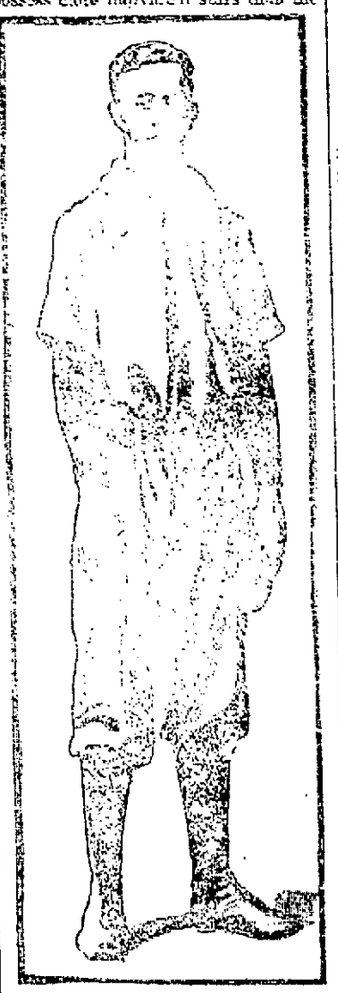
Yes, the "fan" was sent into this world for a purpose, and he fills it well. Woe be unto those who do not award him his due!

The National league opens its season April 15, and a few days later the Americans also begin operations. Then will the fight for the major league pennants be on in earnest, and our favorite green diamond stars will once more cavort before us, thrilling us by hair raising two and three baggers and discomfiting our particular enemies by sensational running catches and one hand stops.

All close observers of the great game are confident that a new era in ball tossing is about to open and that beginning with this year—provided, of course, peace is maintained between the two major leagues—the standard of play will take on an upward trend which will be the foundation for a boom of farreaching effect.

The compromise between the major leagues was the best thing that possibly could have been done toward reestablishing baseball on a basis equal to that which it has occupied in the past. The game will now be cleaner and more honest than has been the case for almost a decade, and fair minded sportsmen are unanimous that peace must be preserved no matter whose purse or other private interests suffer.

The teams in the National league present a front vastly different from that of last year. The American league, under the effective guidance of President Ban Johnson, has made still further inroads into the ranks of the Nationals, and at the present time his hustling organization may truthfully be said to possess more individual stars than the



CAPTAIN CLARKSON OF HARVARD.
[Clarkson comes of a family famous in college and professional baseball. He pitches for Harvard and is confident that the crimson team will win the intercollegiate championship.]

CLARENCE BEAUMONT, STAR PIRATE OUTFIELDER.

National. But this state of affairs constitutes a phase of what some folks are pleased to term the "fortunes of war" and all must admit that if one warring body proves stronger and astute enough to secure an advantage over another the victor has a rightful claim to the spoils.

Probably the most serious inroad of the Americans on the Nationals this year so far as the players are concerned has been the securing of "Wee Willie" Keeler for the New York team. Keeler was the most popular player in the National and was the mainstay of Ned Hanlon's Brooklyn Superbas. The Nationals were also disappointed in not being able to control the services of Ed Delehanty for this season. "Del" was reported to have accepted several hundred dollars advance money from one of the National teams after signing a contract to play with the Washington team of the American league. George Davis was also said to have done the same thing, originally signing to play with the Chicago Americans. Both men wanted to play in the National league, but President Johnson of the American and President Pulliam of the National "came together" and notified the two players that unless they held to their American league contracts they would be barred out of major league baseball entirely. This joint action of the heads of the two big leagues was in accordance with the agreement framed and ratified at the now famous Cincinnati "peace conference."

Clarence Beaumont, the star center fielder of Barney Dreyfuss' champion Pittsburg club, is the first ball player selected for President Pulliam's "hall of fame." The National league executive has started a gallery of leading players in the league's New York headquarters, and Beaumont's picture was the first to be ordered. Beaumont led the National league in batting last season, is a brilliant fielder, a daring baserunner and an all around star. By many "fans" he has been compared to Fielder Jones of the Chicago White Sox. The choice will be well received by National league enthusiasts.

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Consumption	Neuralgia
Colic—Croup	Pneumonia
Constipation	Piles
Catarrh—Cancer	Pleurisy—Quinsy
Dysentery	Rheumatism
Diarrhea	Skin Diseases
Dandruff—Dropsy	Scrofula
Dyspepsia	Syphilis
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THE MARKETS

Chicago, April 4.—A bearish sentiment prevailed in the wheat pit during the first hour of trading and lower prices were realized, May selling down to 73⅛c, after opening a shade to ⅛@¼c lower, at 73⅝@73¾c. The Missouri crop report was decidedly bearish and was largely responsible for the easier tone of the market. There was only a moderate trade, with commission houses the best buyers. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 232 cars, which, with local receipts of 27 cars—none of contract grade—made total receipts for the three points of 259 cars, against 199 cars last week and 252 cars a year ago.

During the latter part of the session the market received considerable support from a prominent long, who bought freely of the May delivery. The close was steady, with May ¼c lower, at 73½@73⅝c.

Corn opened easier, with liberal offerings of both May and July. May held steady around 42⅞c, after opening ⅛c to ¼c lower, at 42¾c to 42⅞c. The weakness in wheat and favorable weather were bear factors. Local receipts were 147 cars—two of contract grade.

The close was steady, with May off ¼c, at 42¾c.

There was only a light trade in oats and the tone of the market was somewhat easier with other grains, May opening a shade to ⅛@¼c lower, at 33¼c to 33⅜c. Selling by commission houses and scalpers soon carried the price down to 33¼c, with little support at the decline. Local receipts were small, at 136 cars.

Provisions opened easier on quite general liquidation, May pork being 2½c lower, at $17.70; May lard off 5c, at $9.85, and ribs down 7½c, at $8.92½. Offerings in pork were liberal and resulted in a further drop of 15c.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—May, 73½@73⅝c; July, 69¾@69⅞c; Sept., 68c.

Corn—April, 41¾c; May, 42¾c; July, 43½c; Sept., 43¼c.

Oats—April, 33¼c; May, 33⅜c; July, 30⅜c; Sept., 27⅝c.

Pork—May, $17.50; July, $17; Sept., $16.70.

Lard—May, $9.77½; July, $9.65; Sept., $9.65.

Ribs—May, $9.57½; July, $9.47½; Sept., $9.40.

Rye—May, 50c; July, 49½c.

Flax—Cash, N. W., $1.11½; S. W., $1.10; May, $1.10½.

Timothy—April, $3.30.

Clover—April, $11.75.

Barley—Cash, 42@53c.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Chicago, April 4.—Butter—Market firm; creameries, 18@28½c; dairies, 14@24c.

Eggs—Market firm, 13¼c.

Cheese—Market steady; twins, 13@13¼c; daisies, 13¼@13½c; young Americas, 13½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market nominal; good to prime steers, $4.90@5.60; poor to medium, $4@4.85; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.80; cows, $1.60@4.60; heifers, $2.50@5; canners, $1.60@2.75; bulls, $2.50@4.25; calves, $3@7; Texas fed steers, $4.50@5.

Hogs—Receipts today, 12,000; Monday, 30,000; left over, 3,377; market steady; mixed and butchers, $7.10@7.35; good to choice heavy, $7.35@7.55; rough heavy, $7.10@7.35; light, $6.85@7.20; bulk of sales, $7.15@7.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $5.50@6.65; fair to choice mixed, $4.50@5.50; western sheep, $5@7; native lambs, $5.50@7.60; western lambs, $5.50@7.80.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, April 4.—Opening prices were lower than last night, owing to the denial of rumors of a settlement of the Southern Pacific contest. Southern Pacific receded ¾c. Other losses were limited to within ½. The trading was very dull.

Some further slight declines were made, but there was no pressure of consequence outside of Southern Pacific, Illinois Central and Louisville and Nashville. Southern Pacific touched 56⅝c and Illinois Central and Louisville lost a point. Business was virtually stagnant until Wabash preferred was lifted a point and Southern Pacific rallied as much. The market then became firmer.

The market was dull and steady at the rally until the appearance of the bank statement. The large reduction in surplus induced prompt re-selling, which carried prices to the lowest of the day. Declines below last night reached 1½ in Sugar, 1⅝ in Southern Pacific and Brooklyn Transit, 1¼ in St. Paul and Colorado Fuel and a point in Atchison, Rock Island, Texas and Pacific, St. Louis Southwestern preferred and Amalgamated. Westinghouse Electric fell 2, Lake Erie and Western preferred 3 and Des Moines and Fort Dodge 5, with a rally of 1½. There were fractional rallies all around and the closing was dull and about steady.

New York Produce Market.

New York, April 4.—Butter—Receipts, 4,440 packages; market strong on top grades; state dairy, 17@27c; held creamery, 15@24½c; extra creamery, 25c; creamery, common to choice, 19@26½c.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,349 packages; market firm; state full cream, small colored, fall made, fancy, 15c; small white, fall made, fancy, 14¾c; large colored, fall made, fancy, 14½@14¾c; large white, fall made, fancy, 14¼@14½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 14,534 packages; market strong; state and Pennsylvania, 15@15¼c; western storeage, packed, 14¼@15½c; western firsts, 14¾c; southern, 14¼c; Kentucky, 14¾c.

Sugar—Raw, market dull; fair refining, 4¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c; refined, market dull; crushed, 5¼c; powdered, $4.80; granulated, $4.70.

Petroleum—Market steady; refined, all ports, $8.30@8.35.

Coffee—Market quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5¼c.

Molasses—Market firm; New Orleans, 31@40c.

The Money Market.

New York, April 4.—Time money, steady; 60 days, 5¼@5½ per cent.; 90 days, 5¼@5½ per cent.; six months, 5¼@5½ per cent; money on call steady, all loans at 6 per cent.; Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent.; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $486.90 for demand, and at 483.75@483.80 for 60-day bills; posted rates, 484½ and 488; commercial bills, 483@483½; bar silver, 49; Mexican dollars, 38½.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

New York Bank Statement.

New York, April 4.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans, $903,984,900; decrease, $614,300.

Deposits, $888,762,300; decrease, $5,497,700.

Circulation, $42,970,700; increase, $69,900.

Legal tenders, $66,175,200; decrease, $209,200.

Specie, $158,146,200; decrease, $5,315,300.

Reserve, $224,321,400; decrease, $5,524,500.

Reserve required, $222,190,575; decrease, $1,374,425.

Surplus, $2,130,825; decrease, $4,150,075.

Ex-U. S. deposits, $12,030,375; decrease, $4,298,025.

East Buffalo Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, light supply; market quiet.

Veals—Market steady; tops, $7.50@7.75; common to good, $5@5.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,400 head; market active, about 5c lower; heavy, $7.60@7.70; a few, $7.75; mixed, $7.50@7.60; Yorkers, $7.40@7.50; pigs, $7.35@7.40; roughs, $6.80@7.10; stags, $5.50@6.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9,200 head; sheep, steady; lambs, slow, 15@25c lower; top native lambs, $7.80@7.90; culls to good, $5.50@7.70; western lambs, $7.75@7.85; yearlings, $7@7.25; ewes, $6@6.50; sheep, top mixed, $6.25@6.50; culls to good, $3.75@6.

The Toledo Markets.

Toledo, Ohio, April 4.—Wheat—Market dull, easy; cash, 73¾c; May, 74½c; July, 71⅛c.

Corn—Market dull, steady; April, 42c; May, 42¼c; July, 42¾c.

Oats—Market dull, lower; April, 34c; May, 33½c; July, 30⅜c.

Rye—No. 2, 52½c.

Seed—Market dull, steady; cash, $6.60; April, $6.30; Oct., $5.25 bid; prime timothy, $1.60, nominal; prime alsyke, $7.50, nominal.

Oil—Market unchanged.

FORT WAYNE MARKETS

Fort Wayne, Ind., April 3.—Spring wheat flour, $4@4.50; winter, bl., $3.75@4.25; Graham, $1.75 per cwt.; buckwheat, $2.65 per cwt.; corn meal, bolted, $1.50 per cwt.; corn meal, unbolted, $1.50 per cwt.

New Wheat—71c bu.

Corn—40@41c bu.

Cloverseed—$6@7.

Timothy Seed—$1.25@1.50.

Oats—32@33c bu.

Rye—50c bu.

Barley—45c bu.

Chop Feed—$1.25 per cwt.

Oil Meal—$1.50 per cwt.

Flax Seed—$1.25.

Hides—Green, 7c; salted, 8c.

Calf Hides—Green, 10c; salted, 11c.

Wool—Unwashed, 18c; washed, 22c.

Bran—Ton, $19.00.

Shorts—Ton, $19.00.

Middlings—Ton, $20.

Hogs—On foot, $7.

Dressed Hogs—$8.40.

Sheep—On foot, $3@3.50; dressed, 7@8c lb.

Lambs—On foot, $4.50@5; dressed, 8c lb.

Calves—On foot, $6.00; dressed, 9@10c lb.

Steers—On foot, $4@5.00; dressed, $6@7.

Beef Cows—On foot, $2.50@3.50; dressed, 4½@5½c lb.

City Hay Market.

New Timothy—$10.00@12.00.

Mixed—$8.00@11.00.

Clover—$7.00@8.00.

Straw—$5.00@6.00.

Produce

Butter—25c lb.

Creamery—30c lb

Lard—11c lb.

Eggs—12@13c.

Chickens—9@10c lb.

Dressed Chickens—14c lb.

Potatoes—50c bu.

Onions—50c bu.

Honey—14@18c lb.

Apples—60@80c bu.

Live Ducks—11c lb.

Dressed Ducks—15c lb.

Live Turkeys—15@16c lb.

Dressed Turkeys—18c lb.

Live Geese—10c lb.

Dressed Geese—15c lb.

AN OLD-TIME ALMANAC.

A rare possession in the line of publications is a torn and faded volume owned by Mrs. P. W. Williams, of this city. It is described on the title page as "The New England Almanack; and Gentleman's and Lady's Diary for the Year of Our Lord Christ, 1778—Circulated for the Meridian of New London, in Lat. 41 Deg. 25 Min. North." The key to the forecast of the days of each month is furnished from a crude drawing of "The Anatomy of Man's Body, as Govern'd by the Twelve Constellations." The various months are preceded by a timely verse of poetry, and scattered through the weather tables are notes indicating the anniversaries of important events, quotations and aphorisms. Timely warnings as to probable weather conditions are given at various periods. For instance, between the 6th and the 9th of August the farmer is advised to "Make money while you may, for a mighty storm is coming." In the space devoted to this month is this admonition: "Would you keep well this month beware of cold, raw fruit and evening air." In the November table it is stated: "Many things are frozen, all things are cold, the young ladies excepted." This uncharitable observation is set down in the December page: "The dame that's old, now feels the cold, which makes her scold." In the February chronicle is found this warning: "Monopolizers, take care, lest you are dragged to the bar."

Included in the interesting contents are a poetic narrative entitled, "The Neglected Maid's Lamentation," a number of precepts, a list of the "Friends' Yearly Meetings in New England," a treatise on "How to Get Riches," "Distance of the Principal Towns in New England from New London, With the Most Noted Houses of Entertainment on Road," "A Table of Interest at 6 Per Cent.," "A Poem on That Worthy Commander-in-Chief of the Army of the United States—By a Friend to His Country," and "A Receipt for Pickling Beef and Pork."—Topeka State Journal.

For some of the newer ideas in Wall Papers, see Keil & Keil, 926 Calhoun.

THE GOVERNMENT OBJECTS.

Portland, Maine, April 4.—Ottawa news dispatches announcing the opposition of the Canadian minister of railways and canals, A. G. Blair, to the project of the Grand Trunk railway, which has asked the government for authority to reconstruct its lines, are of much interest here. It is understood that the company's plans, if carried out, would divert most of the trade from Canada to Europe via this port to some shipping point in Canadian territory.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Lodge room—Can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evenings, at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOR RENT—1028 Garden street, modern: 1019 Garden street; 715 W. Wayne, modern; 2217 S. Calhoun, and stable; 1308 W. Washington; 1029 W. Wayne; 734 W. DeWald; 646 W. Creighton ave.; vacant lots on W. Main street, and improved property in different parts of the city for sale. Schrader & Wilson, 709 Court street, first floor. 9-10-tf

ALL AFFLICTED with a cough of long standing resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 1511 Fairfield avenue. 3-31-tf

LOST.

LOST—On West Main street, near transfer corner, a tan kid glove. Finder please return to this office. 4-2t

LOST—Yesterday, a roll of money with string around same, either in the city or on Indianapolis road. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 3-d2t&w1t

LOST—A pair of smoked glasses, with gold frame, in case with name of David Greenawalt, Antwerp, Ohio. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to Dr. N. Greenawalt, 1713 Wells street. 3-2t

WANTS

WANTED—Kitchen help at once. Apply Hope hospital.

WANTED—Coremakers; steady work and good wages. Apply, Fairbanks-Morse Mfg. Co., Beloit, Wis. 4-2t

WANTED—Ladies of good address to handle good proposition. Apply J. S. Siersdorfer, care Sentinel. 4-4tf

WANTED—A good German girl for general housework in a small family. Apply 420 Montgomery street.

WANTED—Good help in dressmaking; also apprentice girls, at Miss Mae Sheridan's, 519 W. Washington street.

WANTED—A young lady to do office work and attend soda fountain, at Stockwell's Drug Store, 626 Harrison street.

WANTED—To rent a 7-room modern house within seven blocks of court house, by a good tenant. Address Box 10, this office. 4-4-tf

WANTED—Men everywhere; good pay; to distribute circulars, advertising matter, tack signs, etc.; no canvassing. National Adv. Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Ten men in each state to travel, tack signs and distribute circulars and samples of our goods; salary, $60 per month; $2.50 per day for expenses. Kuhlman Co., Dept. C., Atlas Block, Chicago.

WANTED—Agents—Out they go, to organize and sell our North Dakota lands on commission; $5 to $12 per acre; best kind of seller; safe, substantial; free coal. Wm. H. Brown & Co., Mandan, N. D.

WANTED—Ladies—$20 per thousand copying letters; enclose stamp for copy of letter, instructions, etc. We have several lines of work. Address, Eagle Wholesale Co., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Bright lady to travel, advertise and collect; salary $15 weekly to start and all expenses. Self-addressed envelope for reply. Address Ladies' Dept., 358 Dearborn St., Chicago.

WANTED—Ladies — Plain writers everywhere; spare time evenings; $9.50 week; steady home work; self-addressed envelope, full particulars. Manager Dept. 153, Box, 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Women to do sewing on specialties; $4 per 100; can make six an hour; material sent free, prepaid. Send envelope for particulars and testimonials from our workers. Madam Du Pont, Dept. 153, Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Situation—A man with a number of years' experience in clerical work, railway offices, bookkeeping, etc.; good acountant; desires position in any similar capacity, or as salesman. Address Box 2, care Sentinel.

WANTED—Fifty men to commence work on the Pennsylvania Co.'s new round house, situated between the P., F. W. & C. and Wabash R. R., near Gay street; also fifty carpenters to work on the Pennsylvania Co.'s new car shops. John Suelzer, contractor. 4-4t

WANTED—We will pay any man $85 per month and all traveling expenses, such as horse hire, railroad fare, hotel bills, etc., to take orders for the greatest portrait house in the world. Your salary will be guaranteed and paid to you weekly if preferred. Address R. D. Curry, Dept. 315, Chicago, Ill.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—If you need money, read ad. on second page, first column. 7-30-tf

FOR RENT—Several sleeping rooms, well ventilated; also extra soda fountain for sale. 728 W. Main street. Dr. H. W. Niswonger. 25-12t

FOR RENT—Several desirable houses and business rooms; will be pleased to show on application. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms upstairs at 124 West Berry street. 3-30-1m

FOR RENT—A house of six rooms in Lakeside, 1117 Elmwood ave. Inquire at 818 Monroe St. 3-30-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 405 West Jefferson St. 4-2-tf

FOR RENT—Two neatly furnished rooms, suitable for man and wife for light housekeeping. 305 E. Washington street. 4-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished room and table board for two gentlemen, or man and wife. 1114 South Harrison street. 3-2t

FOR RENT—One large front room, with board; furnished or unfurnished; centrally located. Address, Box 4, Sentinel office. 3-30-tf

FOR RENT—Suite of first and second floor front rooms, with board; also single rooms, suitable for ladies or gentlemen. Apply 339 W. Berry street. 4-2-1m

FOR RENT — Pleasant furnished rooms, with board, bath and all modern conveniences, half square east of Calhoun, at 129 East Washington. 6-27-tf

WANTS.

WANTED—Boarders at 401 Duryea street. 3-2t

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; no washing. Apply at 718 W. Wayne St. 3-30-tf

WANTED—A good cook. Mrs. P. A. Hamilton, southwest corner Clinton and Lewis Sts. 2-21-sat&wed-tf

WANTED—A good girl for second work. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Hoffman, 720 West Berry street. 2-3t

WANTED—The man who went to Chicago to come home at once; all is well; your position is waiting for you. 3-31-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; small family; good wages; no washing. Apply at 918 West Berry street. 4-1-tf

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madam Wing, Clairvoyant, office 206 Chicago St. Bell phone 714 Brown. Price, 50c. 12-12-tf

WANTED—Reliable man to handle a good proposition. Apply, J. S. Siersdorfer, care Sentinel. 3-30-tf

WANTED—A man to travel in the country with horse and buggy. For particulars, call at Stockwell's Drug Store, 626 Harrison street. 2-3t

WANTED—Everywhere—Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Man and wife or two young men to room and board; all modern conveniences. Call at 818 Monroe street. 3-16-tf

WANTED—An office man; $20 per week guaranteed on yearly contract, and expenses. Address, Manager, 7-8 Bennett Bldg., Detroit, Mich. 3-31-10t

WANTED—I repair and recover umbrellas at lowest prices; new ribs, 10c; recovers, from 50c and up. A. Winestine, at Field's Clothing Store, 806 Barr street. 2-25-tf

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WANTED — Experienced traveling salesman; Commerical and Bank Lithographing, Blank Books, Advertising Goods. Aug. Gast Bank Note & Litho. Co., St. Louis, Mo. m21-28-a4-11

WANTED—Representatives for the sale of high-grade mining stock, which is now paying a dividend of 2 per cent. monthly; A-1 contract for right party. For particulars, etc., address Clark, Drake & Harper, Bankers, 79-85 Wall St., N. Y. City. 3-6t

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WANTED—Salesman for Fort Wayne and vicinity to sell groceries to the retail trade in an established territory for a Chicago house. Grocery clerk or experienced salesman preferred. Address M-45, Lord & Thomas, Chicago. 28t7

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WANTED—I can place $50,000 in good, gilt-edge loans, in sums of from $50.00 up to $5,000.00, on short or long time, at 2 per cent. more than you can get under any circumstances in Fort Wayne or vicinity. Papers all made out in your name. Persons having money to loan will do well to write me. Address Lock Box 86, Casper, Wyoming. Best of references given. 4-1-15t

WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000; interest paid on deposits. 8-tf

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FOR SALE—A desirable residence on North Harrison street. Owner will sacrifice. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—A square Bradbury piano; good condition, and cheap. Apply at 113 West DeWald. 4-2t

FOR SALE—Fine bay horse and buggy for sale at reasonable price. Enquire 2411 Miner St. 3-30-tf

FOR SALE—Rome City Cottage and lots for sale. Inquire of F. C. Spiegel, 1006 Broadway. w-s-tf

FOR SALE—Large fresh cow and calf, three weeks old; also a light double harness. Call at 69 Wagner street. 3-2t

FOR SALE—If you want to invest in city property or a farm, call on R. Stahl, office 408 East Washington street, corner of Lafayette. Home 'phone 1634. 11-10-tf

FOR SALE—Residence on Fox street, near electric works. Owner has left city. Will name bargain price. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Ladies' and gentlemen's watches, some at less than half their value. Room 3, Arcade, second floor. 3-13-1m

FOR SALE—House and full lot on West Williams street, $2,250; a real bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A large rooming house in central part of the city, 20 rooms and all modern conveniences. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—35 feet front, 84 feet deep, south side of West Creighton Ave., near Calhoun, $1,250; situated second east of Mrs. Henderson's property. Henry M. Williams. 3-18tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house on West Washington, $2,500; modern 8 and 10-room house on Hanna, both bargains; 8-room house, part modern, on Baker, cheap. F. G. Gauntt. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—Excellent building lots, in Jacobs' addition, on North Clinton street; fifteen minutes' walk from court house, three minutes from Spy Run avenue electric cars; for sale on favorable terms. J. H. Jacobs. 3-10-tf

FOR SALE—New 8-room house on Hoagland avenue, at a sacrifice if taken quick; several houses on Heustis avenue, sizes and prices to suit; new 5-room cottage, corner lot, south side, cheap for ten days. F. G. Gauntt. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 14-room house, on Cass street; modern 9-room house on West Butler; modern, up-to-date home, stone front, on West Berry; modern new 7-room house, with bath, Pontiac street. F. G. Gauntt, corner Berry and Harrison. 9-12-tf

FOR SALE—Fine 9-room house, with all modern improvements, Hoagland avenue, $3,600; 10-room brick house, E. Creighton avenue, $2,800. Good investment—One six and one four-room cottage, lot 50x150, brings 8 per cent.; can be had at reduced price if taken soon; E. Williams street. Five-room cottage, lot 90x320, $1,500, north side; 10-room nearly all modern house, West Jefferson, lot 50x150, $6,000. G. W. Boerger, 120 W. Berry. 'Phone 192. 3-17-tf

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FOR SALE—Thirty feet of good iron fence, acorn heads. For particulars, call at 1018 Jackson street. 3-25-tf

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FOR SALE—Property on nearly every street in the city. See what I have before you buy. F. G. Gauntt. 1-28-tf

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FOR SALE—A cottage near new round house; very desirable for railroad employe. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New 6-room residence, bath, furnace and lights, near Clay street school, $2,600. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable residence on Savilla avenue, near Broadway; will be sold at less than value. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A 6, 7 and 8-room house on East Lewis street, $2,000 to $2,500; a 7 and 8-room house on East Jefferson street. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

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FOR SALE—Two beautiful suburban homes just at the edge of the city; modern house on Liberty street, $2,000; 3 modern houses on Spy Run avenue, have only been built a year. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 50x150, south side, with a good 8-room brick house and a good 6-room frame house; both streets paved; price reduced to $5,000.00 if sold soon. Louis F. Curues, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 2-12-tf

FOR SALE—25 good farms, 40 to 240 acres, in Aboite, Milan, Marion, St. Joe, Perry, Cedar Creek, Jefferson and Pleasant townships, $40 to $75 per acre; some will trade for city property. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

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KILLED IN THE CRESTLINE YARDS

Bert Scott Falls From a Car and is Frightfully Mangled by Wheels

GOEHREN'S NEW POSITION

Made Stenographer to Trainmaster Caldwell, of the Nickel Plate.

Charles A. Scott, collector for the local branch of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the proprietor of the Scott cigar store, was called to Crestline upon a sad mission yesterday. His brother, Bert Scott, was instantly killed in the Pennsylvania yards early yesterday morning. He fell off a car as it was going over what the railway men call the "hump," and the wheels passed over him, cutting off one arm and crushing his head into a shapeless mass. The deceased was a carriage painter by trade, and being out of employment, two months ago took a position as switchman in the yards. He was single and about twenty-eight years old. Bert was the first of a family of eight boys to die. He was a native of Crestline, where all of the brothers reside except Charles Scott. John Scott, the oldest one of the family, is yardmaster for the Pennsylvania at Crestline. Al. Scott, the twin brother of the deceased, resided here until a short time ago, when he returned to his old home in Crestline.

IN HIS OLD PLACE.

John J. Houlihan, the well known machinist, is again an employe of the Wabash and is temporarily working in the round house. Mr. Houlihan quit the Wabash shops a year ago to take a position in the Baltimore and Ohio shops at Newark, Ohio. With him, as with hundreds of others who have had experience in that line, it has developed that Fort Wayne is the best place to live in and he returns with the determination of staying.

A NEW STENOGRAPHER.

Trainmaster D. H. Caldwell, of the Nickel Plate, has employed Joseph Goehren, a stenographer, to take the place of D. A. Muirhead, who tomorrow becomes chief clerk of that department, succeeding T. J. Kucher, who becomes claim agent of the western division. Mr. Goehren has been employed as clerk and stenographer by John W. Wisehart, agent for the Deering Harvester company, for some time and is said to be a very capable and worthy employe.

THE BEST LIGHTED OFFICE.

The electricians are just putting the finishing touches upon the lighting system in Shop Clerk J. H. Hobrock's new office and then he and his clerks will move therein. This is by all odds the best office of its kind in the state and is also probably the best lighted both naturally and by artificial means. There are four four-light electric clusters in the ceiling and fourteen two-light chandeliers, which are so arranged that the lights will be about two and a half feet above the tables beneath them.

SHIPPED MANY MOTORS.

Motors seemed to figure most conspicuously in the shipments from the Fort Wayne Electric works today. One was sent out to the Western Gas Construction works to be installed in one of the departments; four were sent to Allentown, Pa.; two large ones to Coldwater, Mich., and a 100-horse power machine to Terrytown, Pa.

WILL TEST CRANES TUESDAY.

The big 95-ton traveling cranes just installed in the new erecting shop of the Pennsylvania company, will be given a thorough test next Tuesday. A heavy locomotive will be taken into the shop on that day and the men who represent the manufacturers of the cranes will demonstrate their capabilities in the way of handling engines and other heavy bodies according to the requirements of the new shop. The tests will be watched with interest by officials and employes.

MOVING INTO NEW SHOP.

The first piece of machinery is this afternoon being taken into the new Pennsylvania erecting shop, on Clinton street. It is an eighty inch boring mill, employed in reaming out driver tires and kindred work, and in order that the move into new quarters could be taken up today, the machine has been running night and day for the past week. Next Monday the work of moving the big wheel lathe, used in turning down tires and wheels, will commence and be pushed along as rapidly as possible. There are to be five heavy machines in the new shop and men are now at work excavating for and putting in the foundations for them.

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SECTION HANDS SCARCE.

The Peru Journal says that "the Wabash company is having trouble with traction companies along the eastern division getting the railroad's section men. The traction companies are paying $1.50 a day for laborers, while the Wabash at present pays $1.35. The railroad on the eastern division has between 150 and 200 section men and will have many more when the spring improvements are begun. The rumor of a demand for an increase in wages, as mentioned in the Journal yesterday, does not surprise the officials here, for they know that the traction men are offering better wages and free transportation for day laborers."

STORM DELAYED TRAINS.

The sudden and heavy snow storm caught a good many freight engines out on the road with the load usually allotted them when the tracks are in good shape, and as a result some of the locomotives had a greater burden than they could handle. Many through freight trains on the Pennsylvania, Nickel Plate and Wabash were delayed and some of them were stalled completely and aid had to be sent them. However, the trouble soon passed and early this morning trains were moving along as usual. The high winds also did considerable damage by blowing down telegraph poles and interrupting communication. A storm had been announced in advance, but railway men did not believe it would be so heavy.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

J. P. Kane is a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

M. Mommer and George Bittenger are new employes at the Electric works.

Switchman George W. Thiebold, of the Wabash, is off duty on account of the death of his uncle.

V. Patterson, janitor at the Pittsburg paint shop, is off duty on account of the sickness of his baby.

J. E. Noble has returned from a busines strip into Illinois in the interest of the Bass company.

The estimate for the new car shops of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois at Danville, Ill., is reported as $163,000.

Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh, of the Pittsburg paint shop, is in Mansfield, Ohio, looking after some business.

F. C. Petard, a coppersmith at the Wabash shops, will be the guest of relatives in Ashley over Sunday.

A heavily laden immigrant train passed through the city over the Nickel Plate at 6:45 o'clock this morning.

Fireman W. O. Fisher, of the Pennsylvania, had to abandon his engine at Washington, Ohio, yesterday, on account of sickness.

Foreman Joseph Slater, of the Bass blacksmith shop, is in Bucyrus, Ohio, today, looking after some business matters for the company.

Frank Dildine, railroad editor of the News, and his wife, will be the guests of Mrs. Maggie Lepper, formerly of this city, at Wabash, over Sunday.

W. H. Gaff, a truckman at the Pittsburg freight house, was severely injured about the abdomen by slipping while wheeling a truck last night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gaskill were called to Warsaw this morning by the death of a relative. Mr. Gaskill is employed in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

E. F. Magner and R. E. Mitchell resigned their positions at the Pittsburg round house yesterday. William Linnemeter has been employed there as an extra caller.

Charles A. Metheany, of Lima, a capitalist and once a prominent railway man, is dead. He was the brother of Auditor Metheany, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road.

C. F. Schaefernacker, of the Pittsburg car machine shop, is nursing an injured hand and will be off duty a few days. The member was bruised and skinned by a piece of iron falling upon it yesterday.

Wabash train No. 9 struck a wagon loaded with corn fodder a short distance east of Peru yesterday, demolishing the vehicle, but doing no damage to driver or team. Engineer Higgins was at the throttle.

Before leaving Peru for Toledo, where he becomes foreman of the Wabash round house and shops, James L. Flinn was presented with a Masonic ring and a watch charm by the employes over whom he had charge at Peru.

The section men on the Toledo and Ohio Central road were surprised on April 1 with a notice of an increase in pay from that date. The section men are advanced one cent an hour and the foremen $5 per month.

Dr C. B. Stemen, chief surgeon of the Pennsylvania western division, will address the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon. H. A. Philley, chief clerk for Road Foreman C. R. Colmey, will conduct the Bible study.

Foreman John J. Beugnot, of the Pittsburg car machine shop, is off duty on account of sickness. Fred C. Schultz, Joseph Junk, Ben Bowers and George Hills are also off duty, the latter to look after business and the others on account of sickness.

Capt. H. Stoll, of the Pennsylvania police department, had as a guest last night Superintendent Bradley, who had been accompanying the presidential party over the Fort Wayne road. Superintendent Bradley has charge of the police of the entire department.

Traffic officials report that there has been a decided falling off in the demand for cars for the transportation of grain in the last few days. This is the natural result of the opening of lake navigation and was expected by railroad people.

A movement looking towards the organization of a branch of the Order of Railway Clerks of America at Peru is on, with fair prospects of being carried to consummation. District Organizer W. E. Sanford is back of the movement.

The adjustment committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers on the Lake Erie and Western road have been at work upon a new schedule, which will soon be presented to the railway officials. Meetings have been secret, but it is said that the increase demanded will effect the entire system.

Monday a lot of trimmings for boilers, including fronts and stacks, will leave the Bass Foundry and Machine works for Kansas City, and a week later two 150-horse power boilers will be shipped there. The Bass company is putting in a six-boiler plant for the Kansas City Star and the shipments mentioned are the last on the order.

Machinist J. C. Wildeson had two fingers of his left hand mashed yesterday while at work on a boring machine. Dr. C. B. Stemen attended him. John Sams, a section man engaged in laying tracks in the new erecting shop, received an ugly wound in the head through the breaking of his pick handle and the pick falling upon him. Dr. R. Parks White attended him.

RAN A TEN PENNY NAIL THROUGH HIS HAND.

"One day while opening a box I ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of my hand," says Mr. J. C. Mount, employed in the general store of Combs-Hayes & Co., Three Mile Bay, N. Y. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause. I immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and occasionally afterwards, and to my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and it was soon healed. I never fail to recommend Pain Balm as the best liniment." Had this injury been treated by the old method, suppuration must first take place, then the wound must be kept open that the matter formed may escape, and in two or three weeks from the time the injury was received it would probably be healed, but would be very tender. When Chamberlain's Pain Balm is applied, however, it acts as an antiseptic, preventing the formation of matter and causing the parts to heal at once.

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ROBBERS GET GOLD.

Williamsport, Pa., April 4.—At 2 o'clock this morning robbers at Ulysses, Porter county, dynamited a safe in the Rowley private bank and secured $1,000 in coin. Citizens aroused by the explosions gave battle; a dozen shots were exchanged, but the robbers escaped in a wagon carrying the money in sacks. At 7 o'clock today two mud-stained strangers were arrested at Westpike and are not in jail at Galeton. It is said they are the robbers and that they have hidden the money in the forest.

KAISER PROLONGS VISIT.

Copenhagen, April 4.—The German emperor, who arrived here Thursday and who intended to leave Copenhagen this evening, is enjoying his stay so much that he has postponed his departure for twenty-four hours.

OFFICER IS ACQUITTED.

Manila, March 4.—Lieut. Joel R. Lee, of the Tenth infantry, who was tried by court-martial at Iligan, Island of Mindanao, on the charge of manslaughter, has been acquitted. The case arose from the killing of two native prisoners of war.

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The Jas. Boss Stiffened Gold Watch Cases are an improvement on solid gold cases. They are stronger and won't bend or dent. Made of two layers of gold, with a layer of stiffening metal between, welded together into one solid sheet. The outside layer contains more gold than can be worn off a case in 25 years, the time for which a Jas. Boss Case is guaranteed.
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STEAMER DISABLED AT SEA.

Liverpool, April 4.—The White Star steamer Cedric from New York, which arrived here yesterday, reports that on March 28 she passed the Allan line steamer Buenos Ayrian with her machinery disordered. Her offered assistance was declined. The Buenos Ayrian left Philadelphia March 22 for Glasgow.

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Mrs. M. E. Wilde, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Piepenbrink and other friends in the city for some time, left today for her home in Milwaukee.

Woman's Nature

Is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering, danger and fear that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread. **Mother's Friend,** by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, and all unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event safely and with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold." $1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing valuable information mailed free.

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We are thoroughly prepared to welcome that joyous season in fashion's calendar with overflowing stocks in every department. A wealth of Beauty in everything needed to make the Easter toilet complete at lowest prices linked with reliable quality.

Special Attrartions

In our Suit and Cloak Room swell novelties in Lace, Pongee and White Cloth Coats. Dainty confections in White Cotton, Linen and Silk Waists. Stylish Easter costumes in the season's most popular fabrics. New, beautiful, exclusive. Never before have we shown such exquisite creations at such attractive prices.

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And every garment, no matter what the price, the best to be had at the price.

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To contribute to your Easter joy and to add to the charm of your Easter costume, dainty Muslin Underwear, correct fitting Corsets, pretty Hosiery, proper Gloves, filmy Laces, new Neckwear, beautiful Ribbons and Handkerchiefs, Jewelry, Toilet requisites, etc. Come here for anything you may need. Our large stock affords excellent choosing, and our qualities and values give pleasure and satisfaction.

Somebody Has Said

That wise people don't buy cheap Kid Gloves. Such a boycott would be commendable for a variety of reasons. One is that they are not "kid," another that they are not "cheap" except as Webster defines the word, "of small value, common, mean." There are other reasons, but probably these will suffice. We sell Kid Gloves cheap, but we do not sell cheap "kid" gloves. Buy your Easter Gloves here and satisfaction will go with every pair.

About Corsets.

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Easter Millinery
AT
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To give the ladies of Fort Wayne and vicinity an opportunity to buy Easter Hats at prices never before heard of so early in the season, from today until Saturday night we will allow one-fourth off on all our trimmed hats, including imported and our own manufacture, from $5.00 to $25.00. This also includes the famous Bendal Hats. This is a chance not often to be had at the beginning of the season and will surely be appreciated. Also 10 per cent. off on all Street Hats, and trimmed hats under $5.00. Remember, this great sale ends Saturday night.

A. Mergentheim,
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The Fort Wayne Sentinel

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1903.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Editorial Rooms..... 650
Business Office..... 173

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, April 4.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperature; southerly winds.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Disbro, of 1727 Wells street, is seriously ill.

Miss Geneva Rogers, of 714 Barr street, is quite ill.

John H. Furste, who has been seriously ill at Hope hospital, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sullivan have gone to LaGro, Ind., to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Agster of 2234 Hoagland avenue, will be hostess for the Athena Thimble club next Tuesday.

A. H. Keplinger will leave tomorrow upon a two weeks' trip in the interest of the J. A. Armstrong Millinery company.

James Trythall will preach at Bethel Evangelical church Sunday morning at 10:30; Sunday school at 9:30; no evening service.

Bluffton News: George Felts, a Fort Wayne attorney, was here this forenoon on business and was a guest of his cousin, Frank Felts.

C. W. Evans will preach at Beaver chapel, on Indiana avenue, Sunday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9. a. m. and junior union at 2:30.

Mrs. J. Schemmerhorn, the mother of Mrs. J. H. Fry, who has been visiting the latter, left today for Delphi, Ind., where she will make a visit before returning to her home in Buffalo.

The Gideons will hold services tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at 11 Arcade for traveling men. A public service will be held in the evening at 7:30 in Trinity M. E. church.

Al. Daugherty, trustee of Washington township, left this morning for Indianapolis where he will join the Indiana contingent bound for the battlefield of Shiloh. About 300 Indianians will make the trip which will be by special train and boat and will occupy about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gillian, of 19 North Harrison street, pleasantly entertained the members of the Queen Ann Pedro club last evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. O. Lepper and Ed Lanternier and the consolations were awarded to Mrs. Calvin Burnham and C. O. Lepper. Mr. Gillian and Mrs. Gust Rogge gave several enjoyable piano selections. Refreshments were served after the games.

MUSIC AT WESTMINSTER.

The following program will be rendered at Westminster Presbyterian church Sunday evening:

Organ—Offertory ..... Wely
Miss Lindeman.
Anthem—"Te Deum" in C ....Buck
Westminster Quartet.
Solo—"Not a Sparrow Falleth" ..
..... Gilbert
Miss Jessie Fleming.
Anthem—"Save Me, O God"...Balfe
Westminster Quartet.

KNAPP PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Hamilton, Ohio, April 4.—Alfred Knapp, who some time ago confessed to the murder of five women, three of them his wives, today pleaded not guilty to the charge of murdering Hannah Goddard Knapp.

Thousands suffer from a short hacking Cough who might be cured by Piso's Cure.

EASTER CANDIES AT REDUCED PRICES.

Visit our candy department and see the pretty Easter Candies for the children. We carry the largest and best line in the city.

Easter Eggs at 9c per pound.
Easter Mixture at 10c pound.
Peanut Crisp and Squares, 10c pound.
"Walnut Fudge." This is simply fine at 20c pound.
Salted Peanuts, 8½c pound.
Chocolate Creams for Easter trade, 10c pound.
Chickens, Ducks, Eggs, etc., at 4c and 9c each and up.

Bring in the children and let them see our nice fresh candies. Penny candies for the children at 2 for 1c.

Also a full line of Easter Rabbits, Baskets, Chickens, Ducks and specialties. We invite you to look over our line.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

A. C. Aurentz's Ice Cream Soda Water is pure and delicious.

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ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

The defeat of Councilmen Hosey and Scheid was the topic of pretty general conversation about the city hall today. Both were well liked by their associates and there is much speculation as to how it all happened, anyway. Of the present council Ehrman, Hosey, H. C. Baade, Griebel, Zurbach, Scheid, Gerding and Borkenstine will retire from the democratic side by reason of withdrawal and failure of renomination, and what other changes will be made the election must determine. W. C. Baade, Baker, Lennon, O'Ryan, Bauer, Foellinger, Meier, Miller, Gombert, Figel and Sordelet have been renominated.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Building permits have been issued to P. E. Cox to erect four houses on East Lewis street, at a cost of $2,500 each; William Bartenick, house on Greene street, $1,250.

Emmett Martin was again at the city hall this morning, insisting that he had taken out a permit last year to build a sidewalk in front of his premises on Buchanan street. He was shown the record where minutes of all permits issued are kept and none was found there. Mr. Eggemann said to him that never in the history of the board had a permit been given to place a brick sidewalk next to the curb. In several instances permits have been given to have cement sidewalks so constructed, but that practice, too, has been discontinued over a year.

MR. WENDLING'S LECTURE.

George R. Wendling will lecture at the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ on Friday evening, April 10, and the lecture will be one of the best of the list of attractions brought to the city this season under the auspices of the People's Lecture Course management. Mr. Wendling has been heard in Fort Wayne on several occasions and has always been accorded a warm reception. Mr. Wendling possesses unusual oratorical gifts and is one of the most successful lecturers of the day.

OPERATIONS IN SOMALILAND.

London, April 4.—The war office today received a dispatch from Aden, Arabia, under current date, saying that Major Sharp's flying column had returned to Damot, Somaliland, after a week's successful operations southward, and that the enemy's losses were ninety-eight men killed and 2,000 camels and 6,000 sheep captured.

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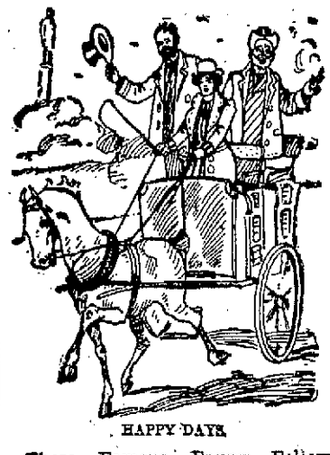

HAPPY DAYS.

These Famous Funny Fellows, Wood and Ward, presenting that Jolly Farce, "TWO MERRY TRAMPS." 20 artists, 20 novelties. Common sense prices, 15, 25, 35 and 50c.

HENRY WHITE HONORED.

London, April 4.—Henry White, secretary of the United States legation, was one of a trio of distinguished men elected yesterday to membership in the Athenaeum club under the rule empowering the annual election of nine persons "of distinguished eminence in science, art, literature or the public service." Mr. White was proposed by Sir Leonard Lyell, Bart, and was seconded by Premier Balfour.

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NOTICE.

The people of Fort Wayne contemplating doing any painting, paperhanging or decorating are hereby notified that the following are the only strictly union shops in this city and the only ones which should be patronized. The public is requested to see to it that each workman has a working card, the colors of which for April are yellow and white:

George Clark, 456 West Williams; O. S. Lehman, 2219 Broadway; John Snowberger, 2221 Calhoun; Ott Bros., 7 Romy avenue; Salge Bros., 7307 Rickhill street; John W. Romick, 202 St. Joe blvd.; L. B. Lindsey, St. Joe blvd. and Old Fort; J. and H. Alter, 719 Lavina street; Alter & Quidor, 514 West Wayne street; Nelson Dye, 1024 Manmee avenue; J. W. C. Bender, 1428 Walton avenue; Conrad Kline, 1842 Force street; Fred Wenzel, Huffman house; M. Kreckman, 1235 Eliza street; Ed Rodabaugh, Boone street. 1t

NEW BASE BALL CLUB.

The Bloomingdale Wide-Awakes have organized for the season and will meet any team in the city under fifteen years. Address challenges to L. F. Crosby, 664 West Third street. The line-up of the team is as follows: E. Ambler, lf; A. Berdelman, cf; C. O'Meare, 2b; C. Pelkey, rf; W. Borgeman, 1b; S. Striefling, 3b; F. Yerick, ss; F. Rabus, c; William Bade, p; L. Crosby, p.

NEW LAW PARTNERSHIP.

George E. Vawter, a graduate of the Indiana university, who has been with George F. Felts in that gentleman's law office for the past six months, has purchased an interest in the business and will continue to practice in Fort Wayne. He is a young gentlemen of good attainments and promises a successful career in the law.

VESTED CHOIR PROGRAM.

The vested choir of Trinity Episcopal church will render the following program at 4 p. m., Sunday:

Processional, hymn 90 .....
Psalter, chant 13 .....
Magnificat, chant 66 .....
Nunc Dimittis, chant 108.....
Anthem—"Jesu Word of God Incarnate" ..... Gounod
Hymn 13 .....
Solo—"The Palms" .....Faure
F. E. Stouder.
Recessional, hymn 359.....

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal property. C. E. Pfeiffer, rooms 6-7 Bass Block. tf

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Give This Paint a Trial.

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You have absolute security when you bring your watches, diamonds and valuables here to get loans on them.
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$10.00 costs $1.00 for 30 days.
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WAGING WAR UPON THE DRUG HABIT.

The state of Illinois has declared war on the drug habit. Not only has Governor Yates taken a hand in the fight, but the state's attorney of every county in the state has been ordered to make a thorough investigation of conditions and to present his findings before the grand jury. In addition to these powerful forces at work the state board of pharmacy is making a determined fight on druggists who sell cocaine, opium and other opiates.

Investigations already made show that the improper use of drugs is not limited to any class, as physicians say that the sale of small boxes of cocaine and opium testifies to the grasp of the deadly habit on residents, says the Brooklyn Eagle. The Chicago Retail Druggists' association, a great factor in the crusade, has joined hands with State's Attorney Charles A. Deneen in the collection of evidence. One grand jury in Chicago has already made a report on its inquiry and the next grand jury is expected to act on the evidence now being collected by the state's attorney's detectives and the operatives of private agencies who have been hired by the various associations pushing the fight.

Another direction which the movement is taking is toward the amendment of the present laws regulating the sale of cocaine, so as to make their enforcement more severe. The January grand jury of Cook county made an exhaustive examination into the situation and indicted five druggists for selling cocaine. Wilhelm Bodeman, the president of the state board of pharmacy, was the witness who gave the testimony on which the indictments were found. Mr. Bodeman told of the awful results of the cocaine habit as shown by examination of the records. Many letters had come into his hands from wives who were pleading for their husbands. They said that despite the law, which says that no one shall sell cocaine without a prescription from a regular licensed physician, their husbands had become physical wrecks from the use of cocaine and opium. One letter which Mr. Bodeman showed to the grand jury came from the Lexington hotel, one of the most fashionable hostelries in Chicago. It begged the president of the board of pharmacy to take some steps to prevent the writer's husband from getting cocaine, as it was making him a mental and a physical wreck.

So widespread is the use of cocaine, said the pharmacist, that many railroad wrecks can be traced to its use. The railroad men fear to drink liquor because the signs of its use can easily be detected, but the user of cocaine cannot be detected until he finally breaks down.

Mr. Bodeman told of one druggist in a fashionable street in town who sells cocaine to society young women, who purchase it in one-ounce bottles and are required to pay $10 an ounce. They take the drug to their rooms, saturate bits of cotton and inhale it until the sense of exhilaration comes to them. This druggist's sales are said to amount to hundreds of dollars a month.

In Halsted street is a druggist whose bill for cocaine at wholesale amounted to more than $500 in a single month. Fearing the action of the law for selling it without a physician's certificate, he sold it in bottles labeled "Nature's Own Remedy." Other druggists have sold the drug designated as face powder. This is especially true in the fashionable quarters of town.

So large has been the increase in the number of "dope" prisoners, as they are known to the authorities, that a special department has just been opened at the Bridewell for the treatment of prisoners who are afflicted with the opium or cocaine habit. Superintendent John J. Sloan has introduced a cure system and is hoping for good effects from it.

"The number of prisoners who are confirmed users of drugs is rapidly increasing," said Superintendent Sloan. "In most of the cases we find that they are people of good breeding and often of fine families and having good educations. But it is always the same old story. They take to the drugs, they become slaves to cocaine and then they are not responsible for what they do. The use of cocaine in Chicago is steadily on the increase, in my opinion."

The records of the coroner's office tell an awful tale of the users of cocaine. The last nine months show that nine deaths were traced directly to the use of cocaine, while opium claimed two lives. Morphine claimed nine others.

In addition to these figures there were 148 deaths due to temporary insanity. Coroner John Traeger said that fully half of this number were crazed by the use of drugs, especially cocaine. The great prevalence of the habit has resulted in extra pains being taken by the coroner to keep accurate records of all cases wherein death was due either indirectly or directly to the use of drugs.

The increase in population in the last five years has been 10 per cent. A careful investigation among officials has convinced the state board of pharmacy, as well as the state board of health, that the legitimate use of cocaine has not increased, since its greater use in general surgery is offset by a more careful use in nose and throat work and in general practice. Because of its known dangerous character, say physicians, it is of late seldom ordered in prescriptions to be handled by patients. The use of cocaine in operative surgery and the relief of pain by the advances in surgery largely tend to lessen the legitimate use of morphine, according to Dr. W. Harrison Hipp, member of the state board of health. The prices of these products vary but little from what they were in 1898, so that the increase of over 400 per cent in the imports of cocaine is considered very significant, while the increase of nearly 500 per cent in the quantities and over 600 per cent in the values of opium and morphine is regarded as startling by the officials.

Figures obtained by the American Pharmaceutical association from the cities of Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Brooklyn and the smaller towns of New Jersey and Pennsylvania show that of the entire number of persons afflicted with the drug habit nearly 45 per cent are addicted exclusively to morphine and cocaine. Cocaine claims nearly 30 per cent of this number. President Bodeman, however, takes the position that a careful examination of the figures in Chicago, provided the druggists would tell the truth, would reveal a much larger percentage for the Lake city.

The vigor and energy put into the crusade has frightened many of the druggists, and now they are a little more careful of their sales of drugs. Some of the druggists in the fashionable parts of the town have suddenly ceased to sell the drug since they were aware of the fact that they were being watched, but even some of their patrons might be put in the

FIRE CONSUMING A DISTANT WORLD

In the small hours of the morning of February 22, 1901, Dr. Anderson, of Bonnington, Edinburg, saw a bright star shining in the constellation of Perseus, where he knew no such star was ever seen before. The circumstances connected with the discovery afford another striking instance of how nature keeps her secrets for her true amateur, using the word in its highest sense.

The evening of February 21 was cloudy, and nine out of ten astronomers would have gone to bed when there seemed little prospect of the night clearing; but Dr. Anderson was the tenth man. At 2:40 in the morning the clouds rolled away from over the old, gray Scottish capital, and the trained eye of the patient observer saw right in the heart of Perseus a new star. Never before had its light, blue-white, like an unpolished diamond, shone down on this strange earth of ours.

Next day the news of this wonderful discovery was flashed to all the great observatories of the world, and telescopes and spectroscopes, cameras and photometers, were directed toward the strange phenomenon, and by testing, measuring, examining, sought to wrest its secrets from it.

Much is still a mystery, says Chambers' Journal; but what has been ascertained during the period that the rhythm of its light-waves beat upon the shores is of great interest and importance, as bearing directly on the life-history of each individual star in the heavens, and of our own sun and planet among them.

The first and simplest question that arises for settlement is the date when the new star blazed forth in our terrestrial sky. The curious reader will notice the reservation; in our terrestrial sky. When the star actually bursts forth into resplendent light is another matter, as we shall discover later on. It was certainly before Dr. Anderson was born—and probably before another Scotsman—Ferguson by name—combined, like many another sage, counting and watching sheep with counting and watching stars.

With regard to the date of the appearance in our sky of the new star, Nova Persei, as it is called in astronomical literature, when Dr. Anderson discovered it at 2:40 o'clock on the morning of February 22, it was bright enough to be straightway evident to a trained astronomer. In these latter days of strenuous scientific activities, every portion of the sky is constantly being examined and charted, and no sooner was the discovery of Nova Persei announced than a searching of records began, in order to ascertain if at any time the star had ever been seen before.

It so chanced that on the evenings of February 18 and 19, two photographs of the very spot where three days later the new star appeared, were taken at Harvard observatory. On neither of these photographs is there the slightest evidence of the star's existence. It was, therefore, on these dates non-existent as a luminous body, so far as our earth was concerned.

On the evening of February 20 a well known English observer, Mr. Stanley Williams, had also taken a photograph of the same portion of the sky; and again there was no trace of the star. Mr. Williams' photograph was taken 28 hours before Dr. Anderson saw it. Still more strange is the fact that on the evening of February 21 three observers on the continent testify that they had the constellation Perseus under observation from 7 o'clock to 11, and had the new star then been visible they could not have failed to see it. The star, therefore, blazed out some time between 11 o'clock and 3 on the night of its discovery.

Now, what does this mean? It means this: that by some cause a star, quite dark before, or so faint that it could not be seen even by means of a powerful telescope, in a few hours, or perhaps in a few minutes, blazed forth as a star of conspicuous brightness. In this brief space of time a dark and probably chill globe became a seething mass of fire, a million times hotter than it was before. Fierce, fervent heat lit up the orb with a glow that reached from rim to rim of the stellar universe. We have here a catastrophe that goes beyond our wildest conceptions; the conflagration of a world, the ruin of a star. What guarantee have we for an assumption of this kind? What of certitude is there in our vision of such a Day of Doom for any part of our universe? Let us consider the salient facts regarding the recent changes in the appearance and structure of this star. We shall relate only those facts that are beyond controversy, as far as our present knowledge goes.

Nova Persei did not reach its maximum brightness till the evening of February 25, when it was probably the most conspicuous object in the midnight sky. It was then at least six times brighter than at the time of its discovery. After this date it began to wane slowly. At intervals there were spurts of brightness lasting for two or three days, as if the fires had not exhausted themselves. On the whole, however, the light of the star waned, and by the end of the year its enfeebled light was just bright enough to be evident to the naked eye; 12 months after its appearance it could only be seen with the aid of a telescope.

Now, one of the most powerful instruments of research in the new astronomy is the spectroscope. It takes hold of the rays of light that come to us from a star, and makes these rays reveal the condition of things in the world they came from. One of these spectroscopes turned on the new star in Perseus was Professor Copeland's magnificent instrument at Blackford Hill observatory, Edinburg. Professor Copeland described the new star as "a feebly developed" sun. As the star, however, increased in brightness the spectroscope chronicled the fact that great physical changes were taking place in its composition and structure. The star soon ceased to be a feebly developed sun, for development had gone on apace with the increase of light. Round the solid or semi-molten mass there was rapidly aggregating an ocean of fiery gases, probably thrown up from the nucleus.

Put simply, Nova Persei, for long ages a cold, dark, solid globe, was in the brief space of a few days transformed from circumference to core into a luminous, heated, gaseous sphere. By what chance or circumstance this vast change came about may be inquired into later on.

"The criminal's field of operations is practically unlimited," said Major Sylvester, superintendent of police, to a reporter. "The crook lives strictly by his wits, and as a result the police are constantly called upon to grapple with new tricks of the trade and ever changing conditions. It is for this reason that some of the shrewdest schemes for defrauding the people are able to flourish for a period unmolested. Take, for instance, the recent turf frauds, by means of which thousands of dollars were reaped by the scoundrels before the police were in a position to call a halt.

"Another fact not generally appreciated is the high grade of intelligence represented among the criminal classes. Robbery is now a profession and, instead of the awkward, lowering Bill Skyes, or the Oily Fagin, with their characters plainly written on their countenances, we now have intelligent and thoughtful rogues, who often successfully pose as respectable members of society. Of course, there are different grades of rogues. A man of education and refined taste will instinctively avoid those branches dependent for success on brute force and physical courage. He is most likely to select the fields of forgery or counterfeiting for his efforts. The criminal career is progressive, however, and when a man first starts, he may have to confine himself to the cruder methods. His success in the limited fields attracts to him the attention of the more advanced, until some day he finds himself in direct communication with the Napoleons of the under world. Then, if he has sufficient genius, he in time becomes an organizer and director of tools less tolerated, and may be able to launch an entirely new scheme of crime, in which case he usually reaps a rich harvest before he is apprehended.

"Men employed in the detection and prevention of crime usually divide the operation of crooks under several general heads. First, and perhaps the cleverest, are the confidence men. They swindle people by leading them into what appears on the face a legitimate business transaction, and their plans usually give them sufficient time to get away before the victim finds out he has been duped. I place this class first, because a successful confidence game is so far-reaching in its results. It is usually, though by no means always, the clerk, the school teacher and other salaried people who are victimized. Look at the number and class of people who bite at the 'get-rich-quick' schemes of the turf investment companies.

"Another class of criminals recognized as belonging to the 'upper-tendom' of crooks is the professional bank burglar. The character of the appliances now placed about the safes and vaults of banking institutions requires that the man who would force them and get away with their rich contents should have every requisite of shrewdness, and should, as well, be a mechanic of the highest order. Robberies of this character are usually years in maturing. In the first place comes a painstaking study of the mechanism of locks, until the cracksman is familiar with the interior workings of every known lock, so that he is often able to work an unknown combination by an ultra- cultivated sense of touch and familiarity with the sound of the tumblers. The fact that enormous safes are sometimes shattered with so little noise that the explosion cannot be heard twenty yards away proves, too, that a criminal of this class must be an expert in the science of explosives.

"Having supplied himself with minute drawings of the interior of the bank building, obtained through subordinates in his organized gang, the next step of the king burglar is usually to rent an adjoining room or the basement or upper floor of the bank building itself. Here he fits up, at considerable expense, a barber shop, billiard room, dentist office, or whatever may be most logical, and goes ahead, apparently, in the conduct of an honorable business. After some months he begins to get on friendly terms with the employes of the bank. It not infrequently happens that he finds a willing tool among the members of the bank force, in which case the rest is plain sailing. If not, some Saturday night an entrance is effected through the connecting wall or floor, and then the safe is 'cracked' by one of the several methods in use, and, having obtained many dollars for every one invested in the bogus business, the thief lies himself away without troubling to save any of his expensive fixtures.

"Different in his methods is the bank speakthief. His plan, after learning the habits of the employes, is to select a time when the fewest possible are in the building and then, while a confederate attracts the attention of the teller, he makes his way behind the grating, grabs the cash box and slips away. Or a man enters with a large deposit. The sneak deftly drops a bill on the floor. When the customer has gone, the thief courteously calls attention of the teller to the fact that he has dropped a part of the money. As he stoops to pick up the fallen bill, the rascal 'lifts' a portion of the counted pile. This game is played with a thousand variations.

"Sometimes the clever bank sneak works on the inspiration of the moment. A clever job in an eastern city a few years ago was after this fashion. A bank was crowded with customers, and a discussion arose as to the county seat of a small county in Ohio. Slipping to the door, the waiting thief sent a confederate for a lot of maps, including a map of Ohio. A few minutes later the confederate entered in the role of a map peddler. Inquiry revealed that he had a map of Ohio. 'Now we'll settle that bet, boys,' cried some one, and as the peddler slowly unfolded his map everybody crowded around to see the settlement of the bet. While they were so engaged, the clever thief had walked to the open safe, abstracted therefrom the cash box, containing $20,000, and disappeared.

"The forgers complete the upper strata of thieves. Under this head is included counterfeiting, whether it be of private or government paper. The counterfeiting of 'hard money' has about passed out of vogue. This is another branch of operations which is highly organized. Of course, small forgers, who attempt to pass one or two checks for small amounts, have no connection with any organization of professional forgers. The latter have a complete system, the members of which seldom or never come in contact with each other. The man who draws the bogus check or draft is termed the 'operator,' while the men who pass them are termed 'layers-down.' The latter, who work upon a percentage, are usually ex-convicts. One of the many methods employed can be briefly explained. A forger, only one of whose notes was ever refused, always provided duplicate drafts, one of which was simply indorsed by the man to whose order it was drawn, while the other bore the indorsement of a reputable firm. The 'layer-down' would first present draft No. 1. The teller would naturally refuse to cash the draft without proper identification. After remarking that he was not familiar with financial methods, the man would leave the bank, and after a reasonable absence, return, present the indorsed draft, and get the money, the teller naturally thinking he had just secured the indorsement.

"Other subdivisions of criminals are: Hotel thieves, sneakthieves, shoplifters, pickpockets, and most dastardly of all, 'knockout' men, who render their victims insensible, even endangering their lives, by the administration, usually in a glass of beer, of powerful opiates. The drug most commonly used is a form of chloral, an overdose of which, even if not resulting in death, leaves the victim with a shattered intellect, which may become permanent."

UNCLE SAM'S TREASURE WAGON

Down in the sub-basement of the old custom house, along with the ash cans and rubbish barrels, there stands a sturdy little wagon which has carried in its days more than $4,000,000,000 of Uncle Sam's money. When the little wagon was consigned to the scrap heap some time ago Custodian Lawlor decided to preserve it if he could.

"I've been here now for nearly twenty years," said Mr. Lawlor, "and it ain't within my memory when the little wagon failed to make its daily trip up Wall street to the sub-treasury and never a penny spilled. There's them that have been here thirty years and the tale is the same. I call that faithfulness and Uncle Sam'l have a hard time finding any other word for it, I guess. Anyway, I'm going to keep the little wagon as long as they'll let me."

The wagon still seems fit for duty. Its joints are rather weak, though, and it has been repaired so often that it was thought best to replace it. It carried the money received as custom payments from the custom house to the sub-treasury at the close of business each day for more than thirty years.—New York Sun.

That "magic wand" which locates suitable places for wells has turned up again. This time it is in Germany that the little hazel twig is being used with success and much discussed.

Miss Jane Harper, who has been attending the teachers' convention at Richmond, went to Cincinnati today to visit friends

Financial remedies are not always sufficient for the injured affections of young women to whom fond lovers have proposed and from whom they afterwards desire release instead of matrimony. Frequently it is the case that the young woman feels an indignity has been put upon her which can be removed only by the young man making a public spectacle of himself.

It will be admitted that cases are more numerous where the young woman has been content to prove to a jury that her affections have been damaged to the extent of a certain number of thousands. The exceptions, however, are enough to show a peculiar desire for unique revenge on the part of many.

There is the case of a young New Yorker who proposed to a circus rider and was accepted by her. Possibly her daring flights in short skirts attracted him for the moment, and that on more sober thought the attraction waned. It had led him into the difficulty, however, and he had to get out the best he could.

As a public exposure of his love affair was the last thing he desired, he had his attorneys make the young woman a substantial offer in settlement, and secure his release thus. It was not adequate. The young woman wanted more—not more money, but more in the way of reparation. She demanded that he supplement his financial offer by appearing one night as a bareback rider in the ring with her.

There was nothing for the young man to do but agree. He was an athlete and expert rider. With much preliminary practice he managed to become sufficiently expert to bring his first and only appearance on bareback to a successful ending, and the young woman pocketed the money entirely satisfied.

Another case in illustration is that of the young Minneapolis physician who had proposed to a waitress at a lakeside watering resort. After he had been accepted he reconsidered. His social position made the affair quite impossible, as he saw it in second thought. The waitress, however, declined the financial remedy unless something more accompanied it. She felt that she had been humiliated and that he should undergo some displeasing personal experience before the matter would be entirely squared. She demanded that he appear for a week as a negro minstrel and entertain the folks at the resort.

As there was no other way out of it without a full airing of the matter in court he accepted. He told his friends that he was doing it on a bet. If this explanation went the matter would be entirely squared. She promptly gave the real reason for his black face performances and he found that the proceedings were about as full of woe as a public hearing of the case in court would have been.

An officer in the English army owes his commission to an affair of this sort. He proposed rashly and repented. In this case the father of the young woman took the matter in hand. He threatened proceedings at law, to which threats the young man replied that he was a clerk on a small salary and that he would be unable to pay a judgment, however small. After awhile the irate parent consented to forego his intent, but only on the condition that the young man should enlist. This the clek agreed to do, and, being a fellow with brains and shrewdness, he worked himself up from the ranks and has received his commission recently.

It has not been long ago that a middle aged gentleman surprised a gathering at an animal show by entering the lion's cage and drinking a bottle of wine there while the beast eyed him with suspicion and disapproval. His friends thought he was paying a rash and foolish bet or carrying out a dangerous dare. When the truth was discovered it was found that he had rashly become engaged to a restaurant keeper's daughter and had wished to break the engagement. The girl consented to release him only on condition that he accomplish the feat which had caused the wonder of his friends.

Not long ago an English curate surprised his parishioners by marrying a widow considerably older than himself. The astonishment was still greater when the cause was known. The curate had become engaged to a young girl whose frivilous conduct soon led him to regret the step. He offered a settlement for his release, but it was refused. He endeavored in every way to break the engagement, but without success.

"Is there nothing I can do to escape this?" he exclaimed one day in despair.

"Yes," remarked the girl's mother, who was present and who had been the prime mover in the marriage negotiations, "by marrying me."

The curate decided that if he had to marry one of the two he preferred the mother and accepted her. The young girl soon married a wealthy stock broker.

INVADING THE HOLY LAND.

For the first time the ancient and most primitive methods of labor in the Holy Land have been disturbed by the introduction of western inventions. The natives of Syria have been jolted out of the rut of ages by the boom of the threshing machine and the musical whirr of the reaping machine.

Last summer an enterprising American imported the first reaper and set it to cutting the grain in the Syrian fields. He had it sent all the way from Chicago. Then a little later a steam thresher, the product of an Indiana foundry, was heard in Coele-Syria. It created great excitement among the native farmers. They were afraid of it at first and then later concluded it to be the work of the devil and tried to destroy it. They were with great difficulty brought to see its many advantages over the old way of treading out grain, which had been in use since the time of Solomon, very likely.

But the star of progress has gone so far westward that it has reached the east—and the east, even in the orient, is not proof against Yankee enterprise. The American windmill speedily followed the thresher monster, and a month or more ago a flour mill, with machinery and oil-motor engine complete, from Indianapolis, began grinding wheat in Lebanon.

English capital and push may harness the Nile and bring that apparently ungovernable stream to serve domestic needs, like a tamed broncho, but the farther reaches of the orient will feel the smarting touch of the spur of Yankee Doodle to start them from the droning slumber of ages.—New York Herald.

The Baltimore school board has appropriated $100 to secure the services of some well-informed citizen in the selection of names of prominent Marylanders of the past to designate the 109 public schools in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Sidney, Ohio, have returned home after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. White.

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WINNING A TOWN TO CAUSE OF CHRIST

Leading Professional Gambler Becomes Soul Seeker at Norton, Kas.

Norton, Kan., April 4.—Norton has been wonderfully awakened along religious lines. A moral and spiritual revolution has taken place. The Presbyterian church gave an invitation to the General Assembly Evangelist, the Rev. E. R. Hermiston, to conduct special services, and all denominations united in the movement, and the church was soon entirely too small to hold the people. The mayor of the town was converted and became so interested in the success of the meetings that the court house was secured, and soon the crowds were such that the opera house had to be used.

Many of the leading business men were led to make a public confession of Christ and the influence of the meetings was felt even in the gambling dens. Dick Gray, one of the most noted gamblers in the west and a man as skillful and influential as he is noted, was soundly converted. He is known in Deadwood, S. D., Red Cloud, Neb., and Superior, Kan., where he has for years practiced his art, as big-hearted Dick, the gentleman gambler. He is now forty years of age, and has been known in the sporting world all his life. He weighs 230 pounds, is six feet tall and is well practiced in the art of boxing. He has never been known to seek a fight, but when crowded into it he has cleaned out a number of places. In one town, where three sheriffs failed to get order, the mayor told them to appoint Dick Gray a deputy, which they did, with the result that he had things quiet in a few minutes.

The night he made the surrender to Christ he said that it was not a spasmodic effort to reform, for all his life his mother had prayed for him, and she had been on a visit just lately when she had talked with him on the subject. His wife also has been opposed to his life and his little boy came home from school on this eventful day and asked him to go to church. Finally, to cap the climax, one of his old sinner friends told him that he was too good a man to be in such a bad business and that night he told the gamblers: "Boys, the stuff's off; cash in; leave here; no more cards; never come back. Quit! That's what I mean." At the meeting, in which he was converted, he turned to the audience and said, "I have thought it over carefully and have once for all made up my mind."

From that meeting he went down to his Monte Carlo and closed it up tight and burned the paraphernalia and he went home and kissed his wife and had a prayer meeting. The night he made the decision forty-six, mostly men, made the surrender with him and that same day twenty-seven others signed cards to live the Christian life. One hundred and fifty-four have already given their names to the churches and the end is not yet. It seems the work has just begun, and while the pastors are laboring hard, Dick Gray is going from house to house seeking to save the lost. But this is not all.

The town has been cursed with dens of vice and on the request of the mayor several places closed. The club, a place that was all the more dangerous because respectable in a sense, was also closed up tight, making the town dry. About $25,000 worth of liquor and bad whisky was shipped out of town and the harlot dens were closed, and now the information comes to the surface that Dick Gray was having an income from his gambling to the amount of $12,000 a year. It simply shows how much money is spent in this way. Some may say Norton must have been a bad town, but it was not any worse than other towns.

MR. REED IS 104 YEARS OLD.

(Decatur Democrat.)

Friday was the anniversary of the birth of Uncle Johnny Reed, who has the proud distinction of being the oldest man in Adams county. One hundred and four years ago, on April 3, Mr. Reed was born at Plattsburg, N. Y., and even at this day his health is comparatively good and he can get around with as much ease as can many men who are forty years his junior. Mr. Reed was an early resident of Cleveland, Ohio, and when he first came to that place he found that there was but one hotel, a small tavern, where visitors could be accommodated. For over half a century he lived in the Forest City and then he came to this county and bought a farm five miles northwest of this city, where he has since resided. A family reunion was held at that place Friday and a number of Mr. Reed's children, brothers and sisters and other relatives were present and a most enjoyable time was had. The reunions have been held annually for some time past and are very happy and important events in the history of the Reed family.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hawkins left last evening for New York. Mrs. Hawkins has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Smyser, for several weeks.

IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

The grandstand on the Winona athletic grounds was demolished by the high wind Thursday.

Mrs. W. S. Metzler, of Elkhart, has lost the sight of both eyes as the result of being hit in the eye with a nail.

Mrs. Leah Risser, seventy-four years of age and a pioneer of Wells county, is dead at her home near Petroleum.

Rural free delivery service has been ordered established from Spencerville, DeKalb county, July 1, which will supplant the postoffices at Hursh and Hall's Corners.

Saloon men at Bluffton are said to have signed a $50 forfeit to keep their places closed from 11 o'clock p. m. to 5 o'clock a. m., all day on Sundays and legal holidays.

City Marshal John Franklin, of Montpelier, surprised two burglars at work in a jewelry store early Friday morning and opened fire upon them, which they returned. The thieves made their escape.

The prevalence of scarlet fever has necessitated the temporary removal of the Lake Forest ladies' seminary, near Chicago, and the spring term of that institution will be held at Winona Lake, commencing next Tuesday.

Rev. S. H. Baumgartner has been appointed presiding elder of the Fort Wayne district of the Evangelical conference, succeeding Rev. D. S. Oakes, of this city, who is transferred to the Indianapolis district. Rev. Baumgartner comes from Elkhart.

FORMERLY LIVED HERE.

(Huntington Herald.)

Brakeman Hagan, who was killed on the Big Four Wednesday, was formerly a street car conductor in Fort Wayne. Motorman Elzie Powell, of the Southwestern, was at one time on the same run with him and several other Southwestern employes were acquainted with him.

FORT WAYNE MAN IN HOCK.

(Huntington Herald.)

The man who was arrested Thursday afternoon for intoxication was fined $2 and costs today and remanded to jail upon failure to liquidate the same. He gave his name as Adam Morgan and his home as Fort Wayne.

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The correct solution of this week's puzzles, together with the names of the successful contestants will be announced next Saturday. All answers must be received by mail—no other answers will be considered.

NEXT WEEK TEN MORE PUZZLES

A NIGHT AT THE PLAY

"PECK AND HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW."

Edgar Selden's big musical gaiety, "Peck and His Mother-in-Law," and a company of forty people, will be the attraction at the Temple Tuesday evening. The selection of chorus girls is a problem that many masters balk at and give up. The efforts to secure a chorus that shall be beautiful, as well as tuneful, has often failed, and so the unusual array of charming femininity that will be seen at

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With "Peck and His Mother-in-Law"

the Temple in "Peck and His Mother-in-Law" company is in the way of an innovation. Edgar Selden, author of that epochal success, "A Hot Old Time," has made this latest hit of his from the famous series of cartoons by Opper, America's most noted cartoonist, and the critics, as well as the public, agree that he has fairly outdone his former efforts. Ned Monroe and J. C. Mack have been secured to create the title parts, and Nellie Lawrence, Vinnie Henshaw, Georgie Fransioli, Al Friend, Tom Tempest, William Goodall, Madame Vera, the three sisters Faust and a company of forty people are among the rest who represent a company that cannot fail to carry out the purposes of author and inspirer. If you care to see this big musical production, and wish to have a good laugh, don't fail to see "Peck and His Mother-in-Law."

FARCE COMEDY OF TODAY.

With the advent of the vaudeville theater came a complete change in farce comedy productions and the change has become so marked that the average farce is only a step behind the operatic and extravaganza productions that always delight the eye and ear, as dazzling costumes and beautiful scenery form an important factor in the up-to-date play, taking the place of inferior vaudeville turns, which in former years constituted the major part of these entertainments. Wood & Ward, who, with their big company, present "Two Merry Tramps" at the Temple Wednesday at popular prices, are among the leaders in this particular line of amusement, having surrounded themselves with artists who not only entertain with pleasing specialties, but who also possess singing voices capable of presenting in a highly satisfactory manner the numerous operatic novelties written especially for this company.

NAT GOODWIN AND MAXINE ELLIOTT.

Local theater goers will have opportunity, after many years, to pass judgment upon "The Altar of Friendship," with Mr. N. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott in the leading roles when they come to this city, April 17. Madeleine Lucette Ryley is credited with furnishing the cleverest comedy since "An American Citizen" in "The Altar of Friendship," which is not only charmingly constructed, but has roles that fit Mr. Goodwin and his beautiful consort to the life."

THE PITTSBURG ORCHESTRA—1903.

Thanks to the intelligent work of Victor Herbert and the Pittsburg orchestra, the public has come to realize that orchestral music is not meant for the "exclusive few," but appeals to the great masses in special sense. The program naturally must be arranged with utmost care and discrimination, the object being to bring interest and enjoyment to the largest number of listeners. Right here Mr. Herbert is completely in his element, for being master of the entire orchestral repertoire, and knowing thoroughly what numbers are of special, and what of more general interest, he groups them with so fine an instinct for balance that every class of auditors is satisfactorily provided for.

It is one thing for the conductor of a grand orchestra to move on a plane perched high above his audience; it is quite another for him to occupy the standpoint of the great mass of listeners and arrange his programs accordingly. In the one case weariness is almost certain to set in, while in the other it is equally certain that the hour of musical entertainment will prove far too short. Victor Herbert, conductor of the Pittsburg orchestra, belongs to the latter class. Other orchestral organizations have toured the country in the past, but it remained for Mr. Herbert to brush away current impressions that to appreciate the music of an orchestra one must be a trained, finished musician. Again and again it is recorded that audiences have come to his concerts, bearing the usual prejudices, but have left the hall convinced and converted, and swearing by the enjoyable, delightful programs of the Pittsburg orchestra. In the instinct for arranging programs that are just right, lies the whole secret, and in so marked degree does Mr. Herbert possess this instinct or gift, that his performances with orchestr stand absolutely unique. Mr. Herbert's concerts here, April 23, will be the season's musical event. Seats now selling.

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"A RUNAWAY MATCH."

"There's a comedy that would make a man forget he had a home," said a respectable looking citizen recently in a town where "A Runaway Match" had played. Whether he referred to the diverting and absorbing story of the piece or the pretty girls of the company is still a matter of conjecture. This piece appears at the Temple theater Thursday, April 9th, for the first time. This play is one of the laughing successes of the stage this season. It contains one of the most complicated and amusing plots ever woven into a comedy. The company contains such representative comedians as Frank Merritt, Walter Wilson, W. E. Gladstone and others. The author, Mark E. Swan, who has often appeared here in the past, plays a leading role.

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FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

Edward Kern, of Los Angeles, Cal., until twenty years ago a resident of Allen county, died yesterday from kidney trouble. Mr. Kern was in the wholesale drug business. He was forty years old and leaves a wife and two children. His mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kern, three brothers and a sister, Jacob J., John and Christian, and Miss Anna Kern, all of this city, and Miss Marie Kern, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Elizabeth Eichoff, of near Wanatah, also sisters, survive him. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

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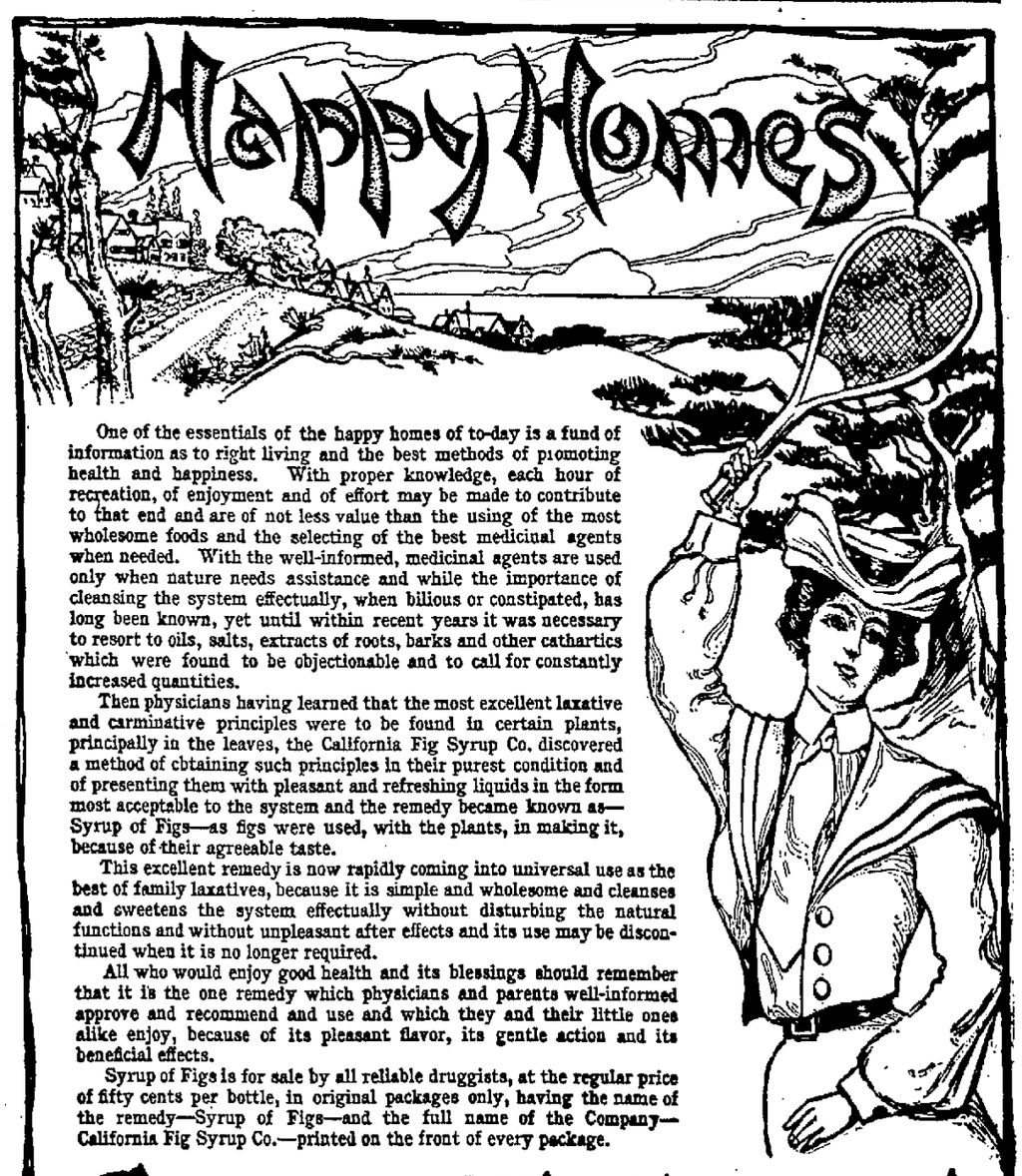

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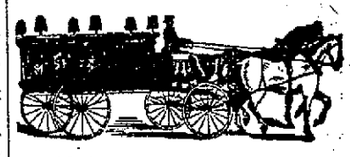

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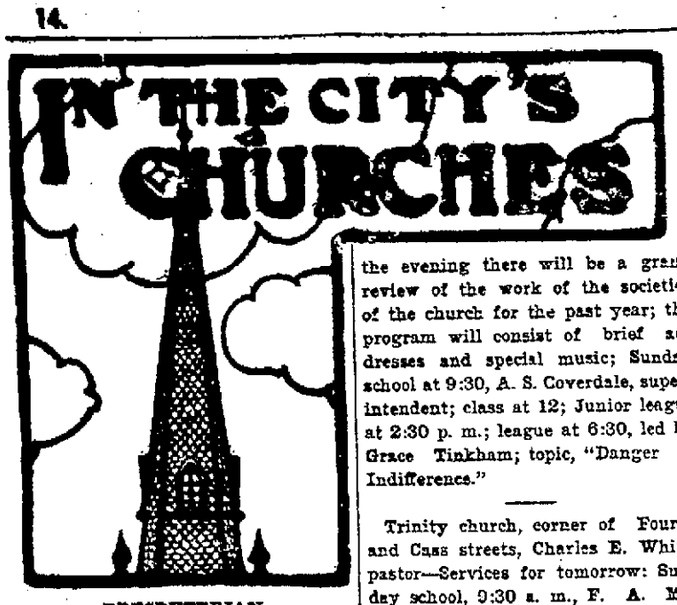

PRESBYTERIAN.

First church, Washington and Clinton streets, Rev. D. W. Moffat, D. D., pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., C. H. Worden, superintendent; morning service, preaching by the pastor at 10:45; second service at 4 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 5 p. m.; Wednesday evening, prayer meeting; Thursday evening, meeting of the young men's society.

Westminster church, West Berry street, between Ewing and Webster, Rev. J. Budman Fleming, pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; morning sermon at 11 a. m.; subject, "The Day of Recompense." Juniors at 2:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at at 6:30 p. m.; at 7:30 p. m. Miss Nellie McGraw, a missionary in the California Indian field, will address a union Presbyterian meeting; prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Third church, Harrison and Taber streets—Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., O. B. Fitch, superintendent; morning service at 10:45; subject, "A Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem;" n· evening service on account of the union meeting at Westminster church; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Senior Endeavor at 6:30. The ladies of the church meet to sew at the home of Mrs. Jones, on West Butler street, Tuesday afternoon. On Thursday evening the ladies will have a social tea at the home of Mrs. William Crighton, on Brackenridge street. Missionary prayer meeting Wednesday evening, subject, "India."

Bethany church, Rev. J. C. Breckenridge, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30, J. M. Jackson, superintendent; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; preparatory services Wednesday and Thursday nights; Boys' Brotherhood Tuesday, 7 p. m.; Young Men's Brotherhood Thursday evening.

REFORMED.

St. John's church, corner Washington boulevard and Webster street. John H. Bosch, pastor. 9 a. m., Sunday school; 10:15 a. m., morning services, preaching and confirmation; theme of sermon: "Blessed are They That Hear the Word of God and Keep it." 3 p. m., meeting of the Ladies' society; 7 p. m., prayer meeting; 7:30 p. m., evening services and preaching; theme, "The Fifth Word of the Suffering Christ on the Cross." Lenten services as follows: Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Friday morning at 10 o'clock; Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, preparatory services. The monthly social gathering of the Ladies' society will be held on the first Thursday after Easter.

Grace church, East Washington, between Barr and Lafayette. Rev. A. K. Zartman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning sermon at 10:30; subject, "The Present Need." Young People's meeting at 6:30, Miss Anna Doermer and Miss Mamie Meyer, leaders; evening service at 7:30; subject, "Not Far From the Kingdom." Special Easter services next week. Rev. H. A. Welker, of Bluffton, will conduct the meetings Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings and will also sing.

Salem church, next to postoffice—P. Ruhl, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30; preaching and confirmation services at 10:30. Evening services at 7:30. The evening service will be in English. Preparatory services next Wednesday evening at 7:45. There will be services also on Good Friday morning at 10:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Berry street church, corner Harrison. Rev. J. K. Walts, pastor—Quarterly service at 10:30; subject, "What Hath God Wrought?" Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Mrs. Ridenour, superintendent; Epworth league at 6:30; evening service at 7:30; subject, "Does It Pay?" This is the closing service of the conference year. Tuesday and Wednesday evenings the ladies will conduct an Easter festival. There will be a musical program Tuesday night.

Wayne street church, corner Broadway, Rev. Asher S. Preston, pastor—This will be the last Sabbath of the conference year; morning topic, "The Glory of Life in Youth and Age;" in the evening there will be a grand review of the work of the societies of the church for the past year; the program will consist of brief addresses and special music; Sunday school at 9:30, A. S. Coverdale, superintendent; class at 12; Junior league at 2:30 p. m.; league at 6:30, led by Grace Tinkham; topic, "Danger of Indifference."

Trinity church, corner of Fourth and Cass streets, Charles E. White, pastor—Services for tomorrow: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., F. A. McMaken, superintendent; preaching, 10:30 a. m.; subject, "A Parting Message;" class meeting will follow the sermon; the Junior Epworth league will hold a session at 3:00 p. m., with Mrs. Charles E. White as superintendent; the Epworth league devotional hour will be observed at 6:30 p. m.; the public services at 7:30 p. m. will be conducted by the Fort Wayne Camp of Gideons; midweek prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening with P. L. Amstutz, leader.

St. Paul's church, Walton avenue, B. Sawyer, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., C. B. Watterson, superintendent; preaching at 10:30; class meeting at 12 m., Dr. John J. Ogle, leader; Junior Epworth league at 2:30; evening service at 7:30; prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Simpson church, Dawson and Harrison streets, Rev. Ja- C. Dorwin, pastor—Sunday services as follows: 9:30, Sunday school, J. E. Graham, superintendent; 10:30, closing service of the conference year; 2:30, Junior league, Nina Dorwin, superintendent; 6:30, Epworth league, Blanche Blackburn, leader; Wednesday, 7:30, general prayer meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Plymouth church, Jefferson and Harrison streets, Rev. J. Webster Bailey, pastor—Morning service at 10:45; subject of sermon, "An Unclaimed Inheritance;" public service at 4 o'clock; subject of address, "Say So;" chorus and orchestra at this service; Sunday school at 9:30, A. G. Burry, superintendent; Harry E. Willson, assistant; Junior Endeavor at 3 o'clock; Senior Endeavor at 5 o'clock; monthly missionary concert Wednesday evening at 7:45.

South church, corner DeWald and Hoagland, D. T. Williams, pastor—Bible school, 9:30 a. m., P. C. Kantz, superintendent; preaching services, 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; subjects of discourses: Morning, "A Grand Testimony of Christ's Worth," Matt. 27:42; evening, "The Soul's Hunger for God," Isa. 26:9; the Lord's Supper will be observed at close of morning service; C. E. Juniors, 3 p. m.; Seniors, 6:30 p. m.; leader, James Wight; topic, "What the Parable of the Good Samaritan Teaches;" midweek services Wednesday evening, 7:30; theme, "Missionary Gleanings;" Bible history class will be in session afterwards; Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. S. G. Throckmorton, 2735 Hoagland avenue, Thursday afternoon.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

West Jefferson street church, corner Fairfield avenue—10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor meeting; Monday night, King's Daughters' meeting with Miss Lota Rich; Wednesday night, prayer meeting; Thursday night, neighborhood social for district 7 at Miss Nestel's residence, West Creighton avenue; Friday night, lecture by Hon. George Wendling; subject, "The Imperial Book;" postponed meeting of the C. W. B. M. on Friday at the home of Mrs. Sablotzki, 77 Riverside avenue.

West Creighton avenue church, corner Miner street, Z. A. Harris, minister—Lord's day services: Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; preaching, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; junior C. E., 3 o'clock; senior C. E., 6:30 p. m.; the Christian churches of the fifth district of the Indiana Christian Missionary society will convene at Markle, Ind., Monday, April 6; will continue in session over Wednesday; prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN.

Trinity church—Sunday school, 9:30; morning service, 10:45; Luther league, 7 p. m.; evening service, with baptism and confirmation of adults, 7:30; services during the week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday evenings and Good Friday morning; catechetical class Saturday morning at 9.

Christ's church, Jefferson and Webster streets, Rev. L. J. Motschman, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; special Palm Sunday sermon to confirmants; subject, "The Triumphal March of Zion's King;" catechetical instruction at 2:30 p. m.; evening service at 7:30; subject, "The Son of Man Glorified;" special services during the week at 7:45 p. m., except Monday and Saturday; services preparatory to communion on Good Friday evening; on Tuesday evening Rev. J. Budman Fleming will preach and on Wednesday night Rev. J. Webster Bailey will occupy the pulpit.

Redeemer church, Washington boulevard and Fulton streets—Sunday school, 9 a. m.; morning service, 10:30; theme, "Christ's Entrance Into Jerusalem;" evening service, 7:45; theme, "It is Finished." Rev. Theo. F. Hahn, pastor.

BAPTIST.

First church, on Jefferson street, between Harrison and Webster. Sermons by the pastor, Rev. J. N. Field, at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Possibilities of Ordinary Life." Evening subject, "The Good Samaritan." A large number of new members will be welcomed. A church fellowship and the Lord's supper at the morning service. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; South Wayne mission at 9 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., followed by culture class. Deacons and pastor will meet at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening.

UNITED BRETHREN.

Calvary church, corner Harmer and East Lewis streets—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Allen A. Bowser, superintendent; the Y. P. C. U. services at 6:30 p. m.; Frank Cole, leader; preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; baptism and reception of members at the morning services; revival services in the evening; midweek services—the official board will meet Monday night; prayer meeting Wednesday night, with W. H. Woodruff, leader.

EPISCOPALIAN.

Trinity church, Fulton and Berry streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector—Services Sunday: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; services at 10:45 and 4 p. m.; there will be services every morning at 9 o'clock; on Monday and Tuesday at 5 p. m. and Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 p. m.; on Friday there will be a three hours' devotional service from 12 to 3 p. m., during which addresses will be delivered by Bishop White; the bishop will confirm a class on Friday night.

FREE METHODIST.

First church, 1320 East Creighton avenue, Rev. Robert H. Clark, pastor—Sunday, preaching, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 3 p. m., S. L. Wass, superintendent; cottage holiness meeting Monday night; class meeting Tuesday night; prayer meeting Thursday night.

AFRICAN METHODIST.

African church, Wayne and Francis streets, Rev. A. Smith, pastor—Preaching at 10:45 and 7:45; Sunday school at 3 p. m., John Black, superintendent; Christian Endeavor and Frank Brown, leaders. Owl club Tuesday evening; prayer meeting Thursday evening.

DUNKARD.

German Baptist Brethren (Dunkard) church, Smith and Green streets—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Tuesday evening, Bible study class; Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

HOME MISSION.

Home mission, 118 East Columbia street—Meeting every night at 7:45; bible study Sunday at 3 p. m.; children's meeting at 4 p. m., in charge of Mrs. J. A. Quince.

RAILROAD Y. M. C. A.

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Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. J. K. Walts will lead the devotional services on Sunday afternoon. Committee meetings will be held as follows: On finance, 10 o'clock Monday morning; on devotion, 4 o'clock Monday afternoon; of the board, 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First church—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m., Floral hall (Flick building, 207-209 West Berry street—Subject: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Golden text: "The Lord of hosts will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from off all faces; and the rebuke of His people shall He take away from off all the earth." Isaiah, 25:8; responsive reading:—Isaiah, 33:9, 10, 13, 15-17, 20-22, 24; testimonial meetings every Wednesday evening; reading rooms open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. at church.

Second church—Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday in Jewish temple, No. 96 Harrison street; subject: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Golden text: "The Lord of hosts will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from off all faces; and the rebuke of His people shall He take away from off all the earth." Isaiah, 25:8; responsive reading:—Isaiah, 33:9, 10, 13, 15-17, 20-22, 24; testimonial meetings every Wednesday evening; reading rooms open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. at church.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Emanuel Lutheran, West Jefferson street, Rev. O. Gross, pastor—Sunday servicese, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran church, corner Washington boulevard and Van Buren street, Rev. H. P. Dannecker, pastor—Services (German), 10:00 a. m.; services (German) for children, 2 p. m.; services (English), 7:30 p. m.

Grace Lutheran church, Gay and Pontiac streets—Sunday services as follows: At 10:00 a. m. German preaching; 2 p. m., children's services; 7:30 p. m., preaching. English services on the morning of the first Sunday of the month; mission services on the third Sunday of the month; the ladies' society meets the last Sunday of the month after the morning service.

Trinity, corner of Huffman and Oakland streets, Rev. Paul Stoeppelwerth, pastor—Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

German Lutheran Zion's church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street, Rev. H. Chr. Luehr, pastor—Services, 10:00 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Evangelical Lutheran Concordia congregation, southwest corner of Fletcher and Alliger streets—Sunday services: Preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rev. August Lange, pastor.

St. Paul's, on Barr street, Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Emmaus Lutheran, Broadway and Creighton avenue, Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastor—Sunday services, 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

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Masses at 6, 8, 8:30 (children's services) and at 10:00 a. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m.; vespers at 3 p. m.

The following meetings are held Sunday in rotation during the month, commencing at 8 o'clock: First Sunday, Married Men's Sodality and Young Men's Sodality; second Tuesday, Rosary Sodality; third Sunday, Young Ladies' Sodality; fourth Sunday, Boys' Sodality and Young Girls' Sodality. The Catholic Knights of America, branch 103, meets the first and third Sundays of each month. The Sacred Heart League has special devotions on the first Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Patrick's, corner of DeWald and Harrison streets, Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Thomas Mungovan, asistant. The services at the church are as follows: Mass at 7:45 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; high mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism at 2:15 p. m.; vespers at 3 p. m.; masses at 6:30 and 8 a. m. during week days.

Following is a list of the various societies of the church and the time of meeting: Married Men's and Young Men's sodalities, first Sunday in the month; Rosary society, second Sunday; Young Ladies' sodality, third Sunday; also the first three Sundays of the month for the office of the Blessed Virgin: Boys' and Girls' sodalities, fourth Sunday, at 2:30 p. m.; all other meetings at 4 o'clock, immediately after vespers; each society takes communion on Sunday of meeting; St. Vincent de Paul society meets the fourth Sunday of the month; Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association meets first and fourth Thursdays; St. Joseph Benevolent society meets third Sunday of the month. Sacred Heart devotions on the first Friday of the month at 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's (German), corner of Lafayette and Jefferson streets, Rev. John H. Oechtering, pastor; assistant, Rev. Gustave Hottenroth—Sunday services, 8 and 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

Church of the Precious Blood, corner of Barthold and Fourth streets, Rev. Francis Nigsch, pastor—Morning mass at 7:45; high mass, with sermon, at 10 a. m., and vespers at 3 p. m.

St. Paul's (German), corner West Washington and Griffith streets, Rev. F. J. H. Kroll, pastor—Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

St. Peter's (German), corner East DeWald and Warsaw streets, Rev. Ferdinand Koerdt, pastor—Sunday services, 7:45 and 9:45 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Joseph's chapel, in connection with St. Joseph's hospital, Rev. Father Thomas Eisenring, C. P. P. S.—Sunday services, 7:45 a. m.; vespers, 3:30 p. m.; weekly services, 7:45 a. m.

Topic for April 5, 1903. "The Good Samaritan." Luke 10:30-37.

Who is my neighbor? (v. 29.)

If you are asking whom you are to love, that is a sign that you are not loving at all, you have not the spirit of love. The sun never asks where it is to shine; it just shines out everywhere. And so love seeks and finds neighbors everywhere; it does not wait for them to be pointed out.

LOCAL.

The state endeavor officers are sending out the annual report blanks to the corresponding secretaries. When yours is received kindly fill out at once and return to the district secretary.

Some of the side trips in connection with the Denver convention have been planned and advertised. They will be all that can be desired for mountain grandeur.

This column will contain due notice of the coming illustrated lecture on Colorado. This will be used as a Denver rally. It is expected that this will show something of the side trips. Notices of the spiritual good things are coming and as always the good things come last.

The local officers will soon have plenty to do and we hope they are just getting into trim. The most important work—helping in the city mission—has been placed under the leadership of Mr. Gilbert C. Willson, of Plymouth society. Mr. Willson has had considerable experience in mission work before now. He worked in the Union mission of Columbus, Ohio, and also in the missions of Chicago, while a student at the Moody Bible institute. We feel sure of earnest work on his part and pray that much good may be the result of this work. Mr. Willson is the brother of the president of the local union.

Plymouth society has changed its consecration meeting to the first Sunday of the month instead of the last, on account of the cards issued by the United Society being prepared with this end in view. At the consecration meeting April 5, five new members will be received into active membership who have been graduated from the junior society. Mr. Bryant is preparing for a splendid business meeting this month. Semi-annual reports are expected from officers and committees, as well as an endeavor talk by the state vice president, junior work by Miss McAllister, Plymouth junior by Miss Mossman.

The Third Presbyterian society lost a most enthusiastic member in Clayton Johnson, who has gone to Columbus, Ohio, to pursue his trade as a machinist. Mr. Johnson was former president and was also chairman of the press and advertising committees for the 1902 district convention. It was mainly through his influence and interest that a junior league was formed and we hope that he may be as earnest and helpful in his new home.

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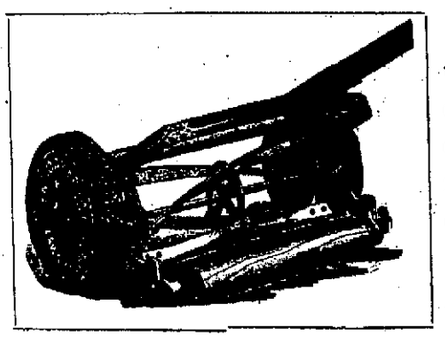

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STRANGE AND CURIOUS THINGS THAT ARE ENCOUNTERED IN VARIOUS PARTS OF WORLD

BIRD SHEEP HERDERS.

The natives of Venezuela and adjoining countries on the north side of the River Amazon often avail themselves of the services of a native crane to care for their poultry, and also in the place of collies or shepherd dogs used by North Americans and Europeans to guard and herd their domestic animals. This remarkable bird, which the Indians call yakamik and the ornithologists Psophia crepitans, is found in a wild state in the great forests that lie between the Amazon River, particularly in Venezuela and British Guiana. The birds never leave the forests unless shot or captured.

They travel about in flocks of from one hundred to two hundred, in search of the berries, fruits and insects upon which they subsist. Their usual gait is a slow and stately march, but they enliven themselves from time to time by leaping up into the air, executing eccentric and fancy waltzes, and striking the most absurd and preposterous attitudes. If pursued, they endeavor to save themselves by running, for their flight is so weak, according to Schomburgk, that when they attempt to fly over a body of water of any considerable width they are often obliged to drop upon it and save themselves by swimming.

When alarmed they utter the peculiar cry which has obtained for them their name of trumpeters. The sound is something like that produced by a person endeavoring to shout the syllables "tow, tow, tow, tow, tow," with his mouth shut, or the doleful noise made by children on New Year's day with their trumpets. The yakamiks usually deposit their eggs in a hollow in the ground, often at the foot of a tree.

A nest generally contains ten eggs, of a pale green color. The young birds follow their mothers as soon as they are hatched, but do not lose their pretty down covering until several weeks old. The yakamiks are very readily tamed, and prove valuable servants to the Indians, who domesticate them, and as they are courageous and will protect animals intrusted to their care, at every risk to themselves, even dogs are obliged to yield to their authority.

They may be trusted with the care of a flock of sheep or domestic fowls, and every morning will drive the ducks and poultry to their feeding places, and, carefully collecting any stragglers, bring them safely home at night. A yakamik soon learns to know and obey the voice of his master, follows him, when permitted, wherever he goes, and appears delighted at receiving his caresses. It plies at his absence, and welcomes his return, and is extremely jealous of any rival. Should any dog or cat approach, it flies at it with the utmost fury, and, attacking it wings and beak, drives it away.

It presents itself regularly during meals, from which it chases all domestic animals, and even the negroes who wait on the table, if it is not well acquainted with them, and only asks for a share of the eatables after it has driven away all who might aspire to a favorable notice from the family.

BOUNCING GIRL QUADRUPLETS.

For a mother to give birth to four lively, living babies at one accouchement is certainly a very remarkable occurrence. Recently, Mrs. J. H. Knowe, who is living in Spokane county, Washington, became the mother of a "quartette of babies." All were girls and were strong, healthy infants when ushered into the world. Their respective weight was about that of the average babe. The mother is a rather tall and slender woman, but by no means of a delicate constitution.

During their extreme infancy the babies were nourished on the bottle. Four prettier children would be difficult to find anywhere. The parents had been wedded several years, but no children were born before the advent of the "quartette."

A new pepper has been found growing wild in New Guinea. It is called kissine pepper, and is of reddish brown color and spicy flavor.

CHESS 5,200 YEARS OLD.

Chess, now being played between ocean steamers by means of wireless telegraphy, is the oldest of games, and it is a striking contrast that it offers itself for easy operation to the latest triumph of modern science.

It was generally assumed until now that the ancient Indians had invented chess, that it was introduced from India to Persia in the sixth century by the Arabs, and that in consequence of the Crusades it spread from east to west. It is true the Chinese—who invented many things in times long gone by which had to be reinvented in Europe—assert that they can trace chess in their own country to about 200 years before our era. Now there can certainly be no doubt in the character of the figures at present used, and in some of the words connected with the game, such as "schach" (shah) and "matt," or "mate," an Indian, Persian and Arabic influence is traceable. Excavations on the pyramid field of Sakkara some time ago brought to light a wall painting, on which a high official is represented as playing chess with a partner at the time of the government of King Teta, who belonged to the sixth dynasty.

Professor Lepsius formerly assigned the reign of that monarch to about the year 2700 B. C. Professor Brugsch, correcting this chronology, puts it back to still greater antiquity, namely, to the year 3300 B. C., so that chess would have been known in the once mysterious land of Mizraim something like 5,200 years ago.

It was north of the pyramid of King Teta, or Tetl, that two grave chambers have been discovered which were erected for two high officials of that ruler. Their names were Kabin and Meruka, called Mera. The grave chamber ("mastaba") of the former consisted of five rooms, built up with limestone. Its walls are covered with exceedingly well preserved bas reliefs and pictures representing various scenes. The other grave chamber, that of Mera, is the most valuable. Until now no less than 27 halls and corridors have been uncovered.

There are beautiful grave columns. In the chief room there is in a niche a tinted statue of the departed about seven feet high, with a sacrificial table of alabaster before it. Among the many wall paintings in this and other rooms—hunting and fishing scenes, a group of female mourners, the three seasons—Mera and his sons holding each other by the hand and Mera playing chess are to be seen. So grand is the impression this grave chamber makes upon the beholder that the Arabs engaged in the work would not call it a "mastaba," but a "kilissa" (temple) or church. Various valuable sarcophagi have also been discovered.

"MUSTACHED" WOMEN OF YEZZO.

The Ainus, the original inhabitants of Japan, live in the island of Yezzo. The race has become so reduced that there are now not more than sixteen or seventeen thousand of them left in the country.

The most noticeable peculiarity about Ainu women is that they have tattooed upon their upper and lower lips what resembles a mustache. The women are not considered attractive, and their matrimonial prospects are quite injured without this decoration, as it is considered. This mustache is begun when the girl is quite a child. It is done gradually, a little each year, until it extends partly across the cheek. The material used is the soot which comes from burning birch bark. The face is cut and the black is rubbed in. Afterward it is washed in a solution of ash bark liquor to fix the color.

The Ainu women are usually finely formed, straight and well developed—with small hands and feet. Their eyes are a beautiful soft brown, their hair black and most luxuriant and their complexion olive, with often a deep, rich color in the cheeks.

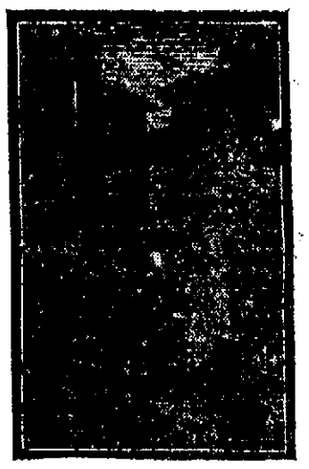
The native cloth—of which the garments shown in the picture are made—is woven from the fiber of the bark of the elm tree.

Curative Peanuts.

Dr. Brewer's new idea advanced some time ago concerning food for consumptives comprehended inhaling the fumes of vinegar and the eating of peanuts. He gave his patients as many peanuts as they could eat without injuring their digestive organs. Two young women who had been the rounds of the doctors and taken cod liver oil and tonics till they were nearly dead were put on this treatment and recovered. Concerning these cases Dr. Brewer said:—"I recommend feeding peanuts. One would think this a very indigestible diet, but they crave them, and it has always been my policy to find out what my patients desire to eat, and unless it is too unreasonable I humor them. Both young ladies have become quite plump, and after a year's inhalation have ceased coughing and I pronounced them well. The peanut was long known as an excellent fat producer, and much more agreeable than cod liver oil. While not all can digest peanuts, a great many even with feeble digestion eat them without discomfort. It beats the Koch lymph and is the most satisfactory treatment I have ever tried for these diseases."

Scorpion Hunter.

A scorpion hunt in the Nile delta is thus graphically described by a recent traveller, R. Talbot Kelly: "As we were sitting on our doorsteps in the cool of the evening, we saw queer looking dark spots moving up the walls of the houses. Presently a man appeared with a lantern on his head and a rapier-like weapon in his hand, and fell to attacking the spots. Coming nearer, we saw that the spots were scorpions. The man



neatly spitted them, one by one, each new one shoving its predecessors up the blade, until the weapon was full to the hilt. Then the man drew the rapier through his fingers, wiping off the dead scorpions into a bag, which he subsequently emptied into the canal."

Live On Jelly Fish.

A singular case of commensalism (living on or with another) has just been made known by M. Gadeau de Kerville. It concerns the young of the marine fishes called false mackerel, which are almost always found in company with the large medusae known as rhizostomes. These young fishes swim parallel with the long axis of the jelly-fish and in the same direction as the latter. They remain above, beneath and behind the animal, but never advance beyond its umbel.

It frequently happens that some of them introduce themselves into the cavities of the jellyfish, and are then visible from the exterior, owing to the transparency of the host. Sometimes the school of fishes wanders a few yards away from the medusa, but at the least alarm immediately returns with great rapidity to occupy its former position. It is evident that the medusa very efficaciously protects the younger fishes by means of its innumerable stinging capsules. This is demonstrated by the fact that when the fishes become larger they no longer protect themselves by accompanying the medusae.

WALKING LEAVES.

No, it isn't vegetable matter, although the closest scrutiny only disproves it. This is one of the most wonderful of all insect imitators, the "walking leaves" of Java, bugs that counterfeit green leaves so remarkably that the eye is deceived, even on the closest view.

Equally extraordinary, the coloring matter in these insects has been proved by analysis to be practically the same substance as the chlorophyl, which gives the green hue to real leaves.

In Java the natives believe that the bugs are actually transformed leaves, having originated as buds on the trees.

There is a so-called "leaf butterfly" which resembles any other butterfly when fluttering about, but when it alights upon a branch it holds its wings in such a manner that they look exactly like a leaf, even showing the "ribs" thereof.

Old Theaters.

You may wonder what there could be injurious to public morality in a theater made of stone. Consul P. Cornelius Scipio Nasica knew, but history doesn't tell. The first attempt to build a stone theater in Rome was made a short time before he was elevated to his office. It was sanctioned by the censors and was nearing completion when Scipio persuaded the Senate to command it to be pulled down, advancing as his reason solicitude for public morality.

The Romans did not possess a regular stone theater until a very late period, and although dramatic representations were very popular in early times, it appears that a wooden stage was created when necessary and was afterward pulled down again, and the plays of Plautus and Terence were performed on such temporary scaffoldings. In the meanwhile many of the neighboring towns of Rome had their stone theaters, as the introduction of Greek customs and manners was less strongly opposed in them than in the city of Rome itself. Wooden theaters, adorned with the most profuse magnificence, were erected at Rome even during the last period of the Republic.

A magnificent wooden theater planned by M. Aemilius Scaurus was built in his aedileship, 58 B. C. Its scene consisted of three stories, and the lower of them was made of white marble, the middle one of glass and the upper one of gilt wood. The caveа contained 80,000 spectators. In 55 B. C. Cn. Pompey built the first stone theater at Rome near the Campus Martius. It was of great beauty and is said to have been built after the model of that of Mytilene. It contained 40,000 spectators.

C. Curio built in 50 B. C. two magnificent wooden theaters close by one another, which might be changed into one amphitheater. After the time of Pompey, however, other stone theaters were erected, as the Theater of Marcellus, which was built by Augustus and called after his nephew Marcellus, and that of Balbus, whence Suetonius used the expression "Per trina theatra."

Sources Of Color.

An interesting enumeration has been published in a technical journal of the sources of color. From this it appears that the cochineal insects furnish the gorgeous carmine, crimson, scarlet-carmine, and purple-lakes; the cuttlefish gives sepia, that is, the inky fluid which the fish discharges in order to render the water opaque when attacked; the Indian yellow comes from the camel; ivory chips produce the ivory black and bone black; the exquisite Prussian blue comes from fusing horse hoofs and other refuse animal matter with impure potassium carbonate; various lakes are derived from roots, barks, and gums; blue-black comes from the charcoal of the vine stock; Turkey red is made from the madder plant, which grows in Hindoostan; the yellow sap of a Siamese tree produces gamboge; raw sienna is the natural earth from the neighborhood of Siena, Italy; raw umber is an earth found near Umbria; India ink is made from burned camphor; mastic is made from the gum of the mastic tree, which grows in the Grecian Archipelago; bistre is the soot of wood ashes; very little real ultramarine, obtained from the precious lapis lazuli, is found in the market.

France has just over four million acres of vineyards.

Where Veterans Multiply.

In Italy a remarkable discovery has been made in regard to the veterans who took part in the war for Italian independence, and who since that time have been drawing a pension from the government.

Though Garibaldi had only 1,000 soldiers during his expedition of 1860, no less than 1,200 veterans now claim to be the survivors of that expedition, and on the strength of that claim they have for years been obtaining the regular pension.

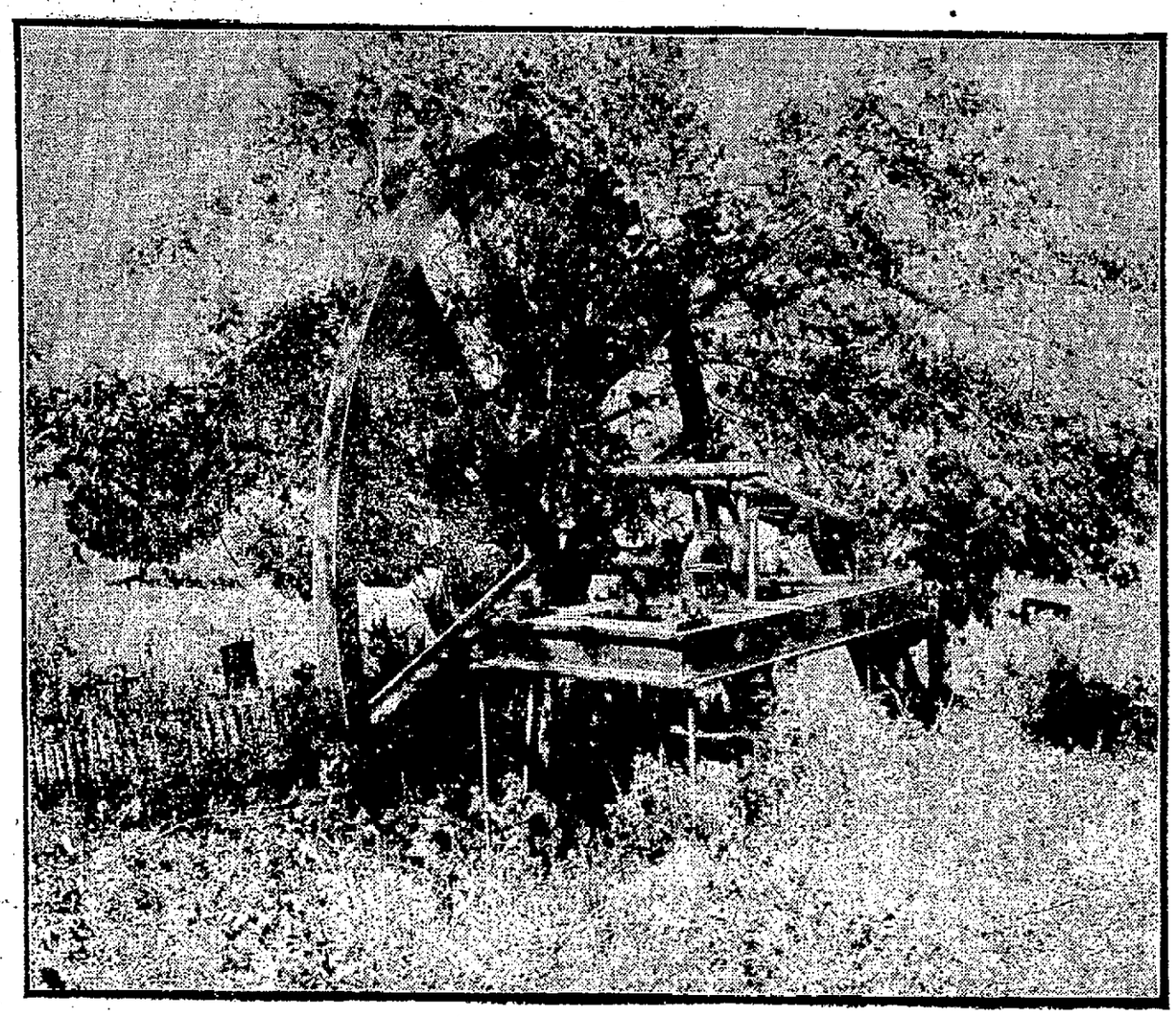
It is conjectured that their aim in living so long after the war, and in multiplying so well, is to prove that they are of tougher caliber than the veterans, who formerly sang:

When we started from Tarentum
We were thirty gallant men,
But when we arrived at Cadiz,
Alas! we were only ten.

Most parrots' skins for millinery purposes come from China. White pigeons, sent from Japan, are taking the place of the quill feathers hitherto used.

HISTORIC CUBAN SUGAR MILL

This sketch shows part of the ruins of the De Majajua sugar mill, near Manzanillo, formerly belonging to Carlos Manuel de Cespedes. Here, in convention assembled, was declared October 10, 1868, what was afterward known as the Ten Year War. The mill was afterward burned by the Spaniards. Around this ruin of the flywheel of the cane crushing rolls a vine called jaquey—in English, the zanyu—began to grow, attaching itself to the iron. In time it became a tree as big and as bushy as the ceiba, a noted tree of Cuba, which, as it grows, kills all other trees it touches.



A Long-Lived Wood.

In the forest near Acme, Washington, an employe of the Bureau of Forestry, Washington, D. C., recently came upon a curious example of the powers possessed by some woods for resisting decay. A Western hemlock was found growing astride a fallen giant cedar, with its roots in the ground on both sides of the prostrate tree.

The hemlock was cut down and was found to be 130 years old. One hundred and thirty years before a hemlock seed had lodged on the moist bark of the fallen giant cedar, germinated, and pushed its roots around the trunk and into the ground. The age of the hemlock, disclosed by the number of its annual rings, was therefore at least a partial record of the time the cedar had lain on the damp ground, exposed to the decaying influence of fungi and bacteria.

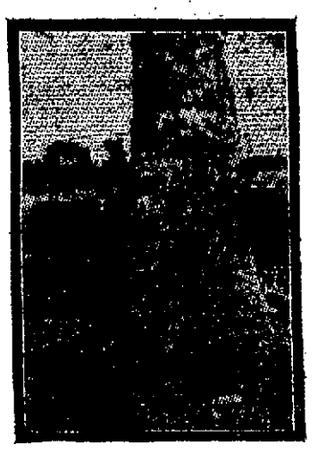
And yet the giant cedar was without sign of decay. So sound was it that lumbermen afterward took it up and made it into shingles.

It is even known that wood, if kept dry, will, unless attacked by insects, remain sound for a very long time, sometimes for several centuries, and that wood kept immersed in water, where oxygen cannot reach it, probably never will rot. Recently some cypress stumps were dug out of the water and mud in the delta of the Mississippi, where, according to geologists, they must have lain for 10,000 years. The wood was perfectly sound.

Although the Nicaraguan canal would be in all 170 miles long, yet only 27 miles would have to be actually excavated. One hundred and twenty-one miles traverse two rivers and a lake, and 22 miles would be through artificial basins.

"Adopted" A Fence.

Here is a singular case of a New Jersey tree "assimilating" a wire fence and assuming the grave responsibility of a living post. It stands in the corner of a field which was partitioned off some years ago, the fencing being attached to the tree by means of small



iron staples. Soon the bark grew over the staples, until now they must be some inches deep in the wood. The tree does not seem to be affected in the least by the "iron in its soul" thus acquired.

New York holds the record among the world's great cities for mysterious disappearances. Last year 580 people were absolutely missing.

Bees As Messengers.

In France the suggestion has been made that bees might be used as messengers in war—not as substitutes for the carrier pigeon, but only when pigeons are not to be had or cannot be used. The diminutive size of the bee is its chief recommendation. At first sight the project seems unrealizable, because the bees cannot be handled as readily as pigeons and because they are so affected by the velocity of the wind and other disturbing influences.

M. Tagnac, a well-known apiculturist, has conducted experiments on this line with such results that the subject, to say the least, is worth considering. It was shown that bees find their way back to their hives from distances of about four miles, and that they fly with a velocity of about 13 miles an hour. On the strength of these facts M. Tagnac began his experiments. He constructed a portable beehive and took it to a friend about four miles distant. After a few days, when the bees had become familiar with their new surroundings, some of them were removed to a peculiarly constructed receiver.

From this receiver M. Tagnac let a few fly out into a room, and soon the bees settled on a plate of honey. While the bees were eating it he fastened his dispatches on them. As was shown to the writer, the dispatch is magnified six times. They were fastened with fine lines, and great care was taken not to put any line on the bee's head or wings. When liberated in the open air the bees immediately flew home. Arriving at the home hive, they found they could not enter it, because the entrance had been made so small that the paper on their back prevented them. M. Tagnac has also made experiments with the Bombus hortorum and is well pleased with the results.

Electric Billiards.

The very latest innovation in the line of amusements is the playing of electric billiards, which started in Paris and is expected to take New York by storm in the near future.

In the centre of this new billiard table is placed a plate of some easily electrified material. The billiard balls are of compressed pitch, and the cue is a short rod with a cork tip, chemically prepared.

The balls are, of course, subject to the influence of the electrified plate in the center of the table, and the object of the game is to make carroms despite the repulsion between them. It is said to be pre-eminently a game of skill, and experts who have been sighing for fresh laurels will undoubtedly greet its arrival with acclaim.

The Great Tree Crab.

In Africa there exists a certain member of the crab genus commonly known as the "Great Tree Crab." This peculiar shellfish has an offensive trick of crawling up the cocoanut trees, biting off the cocoanuts, and then creeping down again backward.

The theory is that the nuts are shattered by the fall, and the "Great Tree Crab" is thus enabled to enjoy a hearty meal. Now, the natives who inhabit regions infested by this ill-conditioned crab are well aware that the lower portion of the crab's anatomy is soft and sensitive, and they believe that the "bivalve" was thus constructed in order that he might know when he had reached the ground, and when, consequently, he might with safety release his grasp of the trunk.

So what they do in order to stop his depredations, which often ruin the cocoanut crops, is this: While the crab is engaged in nipping off the cocoanuts they climb half-way up the trees, and there drive in a row of long nails right around the tree, allowing an inch or so of the nails to project. The crab has no knowledge of disaster nor yet of the fitness of things.

As he descends the sensitive part of his body suddenly touches the nails. Thinking that he has reached the ground, he naturally lets go. Instantly he falls backward and cracks his own shell on the ground.

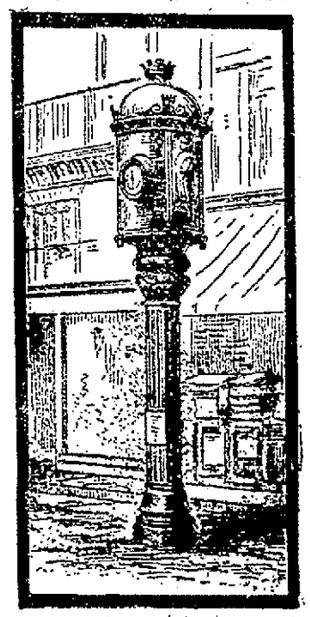
Plaster Of Paris Mine.

Forty acres of pure plaster of paris, from ten to fifty feet thick, is the result of the effort of two boys to smoke a rabbit out of a hole under a ledge on Gloss Mountain, Woods county, Okla. The gypsum ledge was formerly the home of numberless wild creatures, which lived in the crevices of the rocks, using dry cow chips, sticks and other rubbish for their nests.

The whole mountain side was a mass of flames almost immediately when fire was applied, and it burned for days. Only three hundred degrees is required to convert gypsum into plaster of paris and the ledge is being transformed into white powder.

Ambulance Lamppost.

In that city of innumerable public conveniences, Paris, one of the novelties in street contrivances is an ambulance in a lamppost. The French capital has recently been supplied with several examples of what is called a "phare de secours," or first aid to the injured lighthouse. It consists of an ornamental bronze pillar, about fifteen feet in height, with a round, overhanging top resembling that of a lighthouse and con-



taining a clock face barometer and three transparent pictorial advertisements revolving by clockwork and lighted by gas from within. In the base of the pillar is a letter box. The shaft contains a folding stretcher with printed directions for affording first aid to the injured.

In case of a street accident the stretcher may be obtained immediately by breaking a small glass window just above the letter box, removing a key and unlocking the receptacle.

The Easter Menu.

Fresh flowers, new garments, the Easter bonnet, the game of ball, leaping bonfires, the Easter kiss, Paschal eggs, cakes, hares, feasting, dancing, love making, Easter chimes, wedding bells, altars decorated with blooming plants, tapers, stately palms, out of the black soil the pure white lily with the heart of gold, all proclaim in varied ways the same beautiful story of joy and gladness. The winter is past. The time of singing of birds has come. "Alleluiah! Christ the Lord is risen, indeed!"

In almost every country the egg stands first on the Easter menu as the appropriate thing for breaking the long fast.

This is a special feature of the religious observance of the day in many of the Catholic or Prova-Slav countries, while in our rural districts the small boy who can report at Sunday school the largest number of "Pans" eggs taken from their biding place in the haymow and devoured by himself for breakfast stands higher in the estimation of his fellows than he who can say his "Golden Text."

In Hungary it has been the custom from the very earliest times for the boys to herald in the day by sprinkling the girls with rose water, receiving colored eggs in return.

In Roumania, peopled by the descendants of Trojan's legions, the high dignitaries exchange Easter eggs with the people, and neighbors call on each other with baskets of red tinted, hard boiled eggs.

While all Paschal eggs given as presents were originally colored red, as typical of the blood of Christ—the Paschal Lamb—the custom has lost its significance in most lands, and any and every color or device in ornamentation is allowable. In Persia eggs are two, three or four eggs, as the case may be, are favorite amusements with children the world over.

In this country egg rolling or racing finds its apotheosis in the White House grounds, while Philadelphia claims the palm for egg-"picking." This game, which has a respectable ancestral and cosmopolitan past, consists in a battle with eggs, the contestants knocking their hard-boiled eggs together. To the victor—of superior skill or harder shell—belong the spoils. In Greece and Asia Minor this practice goes hand in hand with a great display of musketry, which is always the expression of joy.

A close second to the egg, in Easter symbolism, are Easter cakes. The origin of the hot-cross bun, whose unlimited consumption begins on Good Friday and extends through Easter week, may be traced to antiquity.

In London and all over England the universal cry of the venders, "One a penny, two a penny—hot cross buns!" is sufficient to coax the coppers out of the most closely buttoned purse. In Swift's "Journal to Stella," in 1712, he estimated that at the old Chelsea bun house 240,000 have been sold in a day, and the taste for hot cross buns seems to grow by what it feeds on.

The true Good Friday bun is believed never to mold and is kept by the superstitious from one year to the next to prevent disease and bring good luck. These buns are also dried, grated and added to water to make a sort of panado, supposed to be a valuable tonic.

In the North of England "flawns," a sort of cheesecake or baked custard, are deemed indispensable to the proper celebration of the day, an old rhyme, urging the housewife to endeavor, running as follows:

Fill the oven with flawns, Jennie; pause not for sleep,
For to-morrow thy father his wake-day will keep.

It behooves the housewife to see that the last of her mince pies are eaten at Easter, as it is deemed most unlucky to have any left over after that date.

In Shropshire the Easter dinner to this day is likely to consist of a leg of mutton stuffed with ground ivy and accompanied by a large piece of boiled bacon or ham. In fact, the eating of "gammon" at Easter used formerly to be considered the index of orthodoxy.

In some localities veal pie and apple pie are believed to be suited to Easter day dining, while rabbits and hares are in repute.

The Easter Bonnet.

The custom of wearing new clothes for Easter is as old as the day, originating doubtless from the fact that it was the festival of opening spring—Nature casting aside the garb of winter and putting on her spring finery. The Persians named the festival "The Feast of New Clothes," because it was commanded that each person cast aside the old worn garments and appear in new.

In England there is an old proverb, "Unless you wear something new on Easter Day, the rooks will spoil your clothing all the year through."

Easter Flowers.

The use of flowers in Easter decorations was derived, according to antiquarians, from the Druids.

While palms and lilies are the close associates of Easter in the south lands, in English villages the young willow boughs bursting into bloom are usually substituted. In Roumania and Asia Minor all the houses are wreathed with budding branches of the weeping willow.

While the stately Easter lily, with all its beautiful associations, seems the fitting symbol for sacred uses in the sanctity of the church, for house and table decorations nothing can compare with daffodils, jonquils or the delicate narcissi.

Yellow is unquestionably the distinctive color for Easter festivities, giving a suggestion of sunlight.

In this country nearly all social functions scheduled for Easter week belong primarily to women and Easter breakfasts and luncheons rule the day. In most of these yellow color effects will predominate and no color scheme is more easily carried out or more generally satisfactory. Gold banded china, whose old-time popularity has recently been revived; yellow glass and shades, yellow flowers, tulips, daffodils or jonquils and food combinations in which bananas, carrots, mayonnaise, oranges, lemons, salmon, sweetbreads and mushrooms, chicken with curry in rice border, egg salad, cheese straws, lemon ices and creams and bonbons may be made to reflect the same warm effect. All unite to make glorious summer indoors if even outside winter still holds nominal possession. While white tablecloths are always appropriate and correct, it is considered smarter at present to discard the cloth and serve luncheon on the polished, shining mahogany. This is productive of charming effects, the rich tint of the wood showing through the delicate cobweb meshes of the centerpiece and corresponding doilies.

The menus are usually served a la Russe, which leaves the hostess at liberty to enjoy herself with her guests, unless she prefers to have certain of the courses placed before her when she knows she can readily and gracefully serve while holding to the thread of conversation.

The menus for breakfast or luncheon are much the same, the chief difference being in the hour of serving it, it being a little later for the luncheon.

Breakfast is usually at 12 o'clock, and may begin with fruit or with bouillon or clam juice served in cups.

The following menus are suggestive and may be altered to suit individual preference:

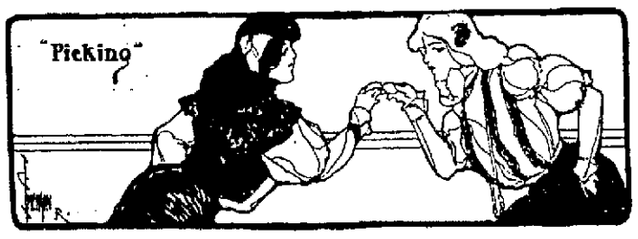
BREAKFAST.
Grape Fruit, with Maraschino Cherries.
Consomme (in cups).
Caviar Sandwiches (round, covered with caviar and over that fine powdered yolks of eggs).
Cronstadt of Whitebait (served in shells, with sauce piquant).
Tenderloin of Beef, with Mushrooms.
Pineapple Sorbet (in glasses, set on plate, with a doily).
Squab on Toast, with Watercress.
Creme en Surprise (in egg shaped moulds, with chestnuts hidden in the cream).
Angel and Sunshine Cakes.
Glaced Fruits.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Clam Broth, with Whipped Cream.
Salmon Cutlets, Finger Rolls.
Fresh Mushrooms in Casseroles.
Filet of Fowl. Rice Croquettes.
Cauliflower.
Potatoes a la Duchesse.
Devilled Egg Salad and Lettuce Hearts.
Cheese Fingers.
Sorbet au Kirsch (in Easter lilies).
Angel Cake.
Coffee.

As on the dinner table there are small dishes for the yellow radishes and olives and dainty compotiers of china or silver for the mints, the glaced fruits or the salted Arabian nuts which are coming into popular use. In the finger bowls, only half filled with fresh perfumed water, should be slices of lemon and yellow rose leaves.

Among the approved Easter cakes are hot cross buns made as follows:—

Into four pounds of the best wheat flour rub a quarter pound of good sweet butter, the same amount of lard, a half pound of sugar, a heaping teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a half teaspoonful of cinnamon and a pinch of mace. Add three-quarters of a pound of well washed and dried currants and a little finely shredded candied lemon peel. Dissolve two compressed yeast cakes in a pint of luke-warm milk and, making a hole in the centre of the flour, pour in and thoroughly mix. This should be done early in the evening, if the buns are to be used for breakfast. When the sponge rises to the top of the hole knead the entire mixture to a light dough, using as much more warm milk as may be necessary. Set the bowl, well covered, in a warm place. The next morning knead and turn out on a well floured board and divide into pieces weighing about three ounces each. Pat them out round, let them stand a few moments, then roll into oblong shapes and lay on a flat dripping pan, taking care that they have room to expand. Let them rise from a half to three-quarters of an hour, mark a cross on them with a sharp knife or a fork and bake in a moderate oven. As soon as they are done wash the top with a syrup of sugar and water boiled together.



painted and gilded before being sent as presents. The Shah himself distributes five hundred among his seraglio, the favorites receiving theirs in beautiful basins.

In Turkey the deft fingered Armenian girls make charming Easter souvenirs of egg shells, decorated with gold or silver spangles in elaborate designs, fastening a dainty ribbon at either end to allow of their being suspended. In coloring the ordinary eggs onion skin is employed to give them the approved red tint, while various designs may be traced upon the shell by wrapping the egg in a piece of calico and then boiling.

To Decorate Easter Eggs.

Various methods of egg decoration are practiced in this country. For blown eggs a small hole may be made at each end of the eggs and the contents forced out with the breath. Rinse clean. Draw a narrow ribbon through double from one hole to the other, tying in a bow at the lower end and leaving a loop or corresponding bow at the upper end. Decorate the shell in water colors, tracing small flowers or ecclesiastical designs. A pretty effect may be obtained by painting the rest of the eggshell with gold or silver paint, bringing out the colors in greater relief. These blown eggshells may also be painted to represent faces. Glue a little down or hair over the forehead and cover the bald head with a Normandy cap made of colored tissue paper, with a little cape and bow tied under the chin. A part circle of stiff white paper pasted flat underneath makes a neat, firm finish. For table decorations, eggshell flowerholders are made by breaking off the top of the emptied shell, painting the guest's name on it in silver or gold, and then, to make it stand upright, putting small shot in the bottom and filling in with melted wax. At the places where confectioners' supplies are sold composition eggs in every possible size can be procured at small cost. The pure white ones are susceptible of dainty decoration, even moderate artistic ability sufficing to produce lovely effects, from scattered blossoms, put on in Dresden fashion, in sprays of single flowers, in a cross with entwining vines, or the letters I. H. S., singly or as a monogram. If a center ornament for an elaborate Easter luncheon or breakfast is desired, the confectioners will make them to order of any dimensions and style of ornament, and of clear candy or clouded sugar, as preferred. Laid on a bed of moss or ferns or in a nest of spun sugar they prove an attractive feature of the feast.

Other eggs for table decorations, gifts or favors may be found covered with hand-painted satin or housed in basket holders of daintily dyed straw or molds representing a young girl's large straw hat; while for the children the old form of a motherly hen and chickens resting on their big nest of spun sugar is never hackneyed or without its fascination. Great straw eggs are also shown at this season, made of interwoven shaded straw and gilt, with large straw rings for hanging them. When one of these wicker eggs parts in the middle it discloses a lining of soft peachblow satin that proclaims its fitness for a dainty work-basket when its mission as a candy receptacle is over.

Egg-racing, egg-hunting and egg-"picking," when the victor is the "cock" of one,

The Splendor Of Fashion's Easter Array.

With the last echo of the recessional "Alleluia" borne away on the perfumed air the men, women and children turn from the church to the streets, which bear in their way as many tokens of Easter as the flower-trimmed churches. Up and down the avenue are moving human lines, with the freshness of the newly purchased in their attire. Careful grooming is evident in every figure. The brightness of the spring time and delicate coloring characterize the frocks and hats of the women. The children, in their straight coats and flower-topped hats, look like spring blossoms. Men carry themselves with an uplifting consciousness of the correctness of their dress. It is a pleased and satisfied world that shows itself on the avenue after the Easter services. It is worth looking at and being a part of.

While the Easter period may have lost just a bit of its fashionable flavor, there are few individuals who do not in their heart of hearts delight in a new spring outfit to put on on Easter Day, regardless of whether said outfit is appropriate to the degrees of heat and cold that the thermometer may register. There are cynical persons in this world who would have us believe that the reign of the Easter bonnet is over, and that, now that it is fashionable to go South during the winter, and, consequently, to wear summer hats in January and February, the glory of the Easter bonnet has departed. But a glance at any of the fashionable milliners' establishments in this year of our Lord 1903 will prove that the assertion is a false one, for never before were so many different shapes and styles of spring hats to be seen. The show windows are also filled with the smartest of spring and summer frocks, the haberdashers' windows are brilliant with their fascinating articles, and even the men's tailors make a brave showing in the goods they display, so that all the world is thinking of clothes, and the ones who think less of them are those happy men and women who have taken time by the forelock and whose spring outfit is in order, and who can on Easter Sunday step out in bright and new attire. There is a superstition, also, to the effect that something new should be worn on Easter, otherwise old clothes will be worn during the entire year—a good reason for indulging in the fascinating fabrics and fashions now so temptingly displayed.

For men there are many different styles of coats, several different shapes of hats, many different cuts and colors of waistcoats, many varieties and colorings of shirtings and no end of new materials for suits to be worn in the morning, afternoon and evening. The frock coat has attained a degree of perfection that is almost beyond belief. It is enough material now provided in a well-cut frock coat to prevent any ugly effect at the back when the coat is fastened in front, such as the tails dividing too widely, and frockcoats are now fitted to define the figure most closely. There are rumors, and apparently well-founded rumors, that corsets are now worn with the evident desire to accentuate the waistline, giving always the long-waisted effect, however. Light trousers, checked or striped or any vague indescribable sort of pattern, white or fancy waistcoats, are worn with the frock coat, while the overcoat worn over it—that is, if the weather is cold enough to wear an overcoat over a frock coat—is a stylish one, with long skirts, very long waist, pockets far down and altogether of fascinating appearance.

Top coats are shorter than they were; and emphatically top coats, while mackintoshes with a woolen facing are still employed both as rain coats and evening coats by men who consult economy. Oxford and pepper and salt mixtures in rough cheviots are still fashionable, while in many details the styles are similar to last season's. Business suits are in tans, grays and blues, with a colored line; not at all such as have been worn so much, but with an irregular line of red or light blue. They are seen also in the iron gray, with a line of red, or with the red showing through is perhaps a better description. The dark cheviots are also fashionable, and the rough, English-looking materials are the smartest for men who go in for a lot of clothes. The extreme of fashions is shown in the silk suits of the heavy brocade that are used for smoking jackets, and occasionally for summer evening dress, but, of course, these have not become generally fashionable, and are only included in the wardrobe of the man who has a suit for every day, and two or three times a day.

For women the preponderance of light gowns is especially noticeable this season, and somehow the light colors seem much more appropriate to warm weather and long days than they did for the winter costumes. White cloth, light gray, light tan and, in fact, all the light shades, are made for both morning and afternoon gowns, but as they will so soon lose their freshness in every thorough outfit must needs be included the dark colors as well. Red is the smartest color of the season, and in a number of different shades. Gun metal is again fashionable, a queer odd shape of brown, that has a tinge of purple in it, and always blue and purple. Then there are the mixed cheviots, with just a line of white, a finer line than has been worn for some time, are men's business suits. These last are made up on simple lines, short skirt, nine gored or plaited, with long coat, the rule now being that the long coat and short skirt shall be worn together and the short coat with the long skirt. The light clothes are made with short coats, as has been said, and most elaborate are they in detail, trimmed with lace or embroidery or braiding or fringe, for, strangely enough, many of the lightweight cloths have fringe on them. These are the styles that have short jackets, with deep capes, the fringe around the capes giving a long shoulder seam effect. Capes are worn on all the fancy coats of all the tailor suits—that is, the severely plain tailor suits, which are made with the three-quarter coat and without trimming.

Easter hats will be as a rule smaller than those of last year, and the old fashioned bonnet will be seen. Later, bonnets with strings will make their appearance, but it is hardly safe to say that so early in the season. The turban that fits close to the head at the back has a brim extending over the face and is faced with a shirring of tulle or chiffon, with stiff little wings or aigrettes at the sides, giving a little height, will be the hat most in demand. The plaited tulle hat in black or colors will be the favorite model, and will be seen both in large and small sizes. To wear with the light colored gowns will be hats of the same shade, but the black tulle hat will be permitted with everything, and will be trimmed with one or two ostrich tips rather than with flowers. The fine chip hats in black with a pompon of yellow lace and two ostrich tips at the back will also be very smart and very useful, and for dress the same hats in white with pink feathers and pink satin bows will be seen. The all-white tulle hats trimmed with white pompons and white ostrich tips, and which really are only appropriate for midsummer, will be worn during the spring, and with the cloth gowns, but the fashion is an eccentric one, and only to be recommended when the number of hats is not limited.

The fashion of Easter clothes must include children's costumes, and very smart will the little people look this year. Light blue, red, gray and green are fashionable colors for small children, of course in the bright shades, while blue, not only in the light shades and bright ones, but in the darker ones as well, is made up in cloth or in serge into plaited skirts and short coats, in long coats and in dainty little blouses to wear with plaited skirts. For older girls the short loose coats in the light colors, with skirts to match and hats to match also, trimmed with pink flowers, daisies or forget-me-nots, are delightfully springlike in appearance and most becoming, but bright blue and red are also worn for spring gowns and with these same hats. The veiling gowns, in gray, blue, red, tan and a bright brown, are very smart for young girls and are trimmed with narrow velvet ribbons of the same color. They are quite simple in design, very attractive and are worn with covert coats, for the covert coat is a necessary part of the young girl's spring outfit.

Cheviots, with just a line of white, a finer line than has been worn for some time, are made up with the loose Norfolk jacket and plain gored skirt for hard wear, and are worn with wash waists by the young girl who adds to the costume a fashionable but severe tailor hat, of straw or chip, trimmed with only two black pompons.

Angel Cake.

Have in readiness one cupful of granulated sugar and one cupful of flour, measured after sifting once, then both sifted together five times; a half teaspoonful of sifted cream of tartar, and the whites of nine large or ten small eggs, beaten to a stiff froth, with a salt spoon of salt. Use a flat wire beater for this purpose and whip on a large platter. When the whites are foaming add the cream of tartar and beat until very, very stiff. Now slip the eggs into the bowl of sifted sugar and flour and cut and fold the whites into the flour very carefully, so as not to break the air cells. Flavor with a little almond. This is the critical moment. Have the cake tin in readiness and do not stop the folding until the cake is almost in the oven. This should be very slow—almost a bread oven. If there is danger of its being too hot leave the oven door open while the cake is being made. This gives the cake a chance to heat gradually and rise slowly and steadily, like a souffle. If you have an angel cake tin use it; otherwise a narrow bar tin, lined with lightly buttered paper. If apt to bake too fast cover with buttered paper.

Surinam has the smallest range of temperature of any place in the world. The summer average is 78 degrees, the winter 77½ degrees.

EASTER BRIDE'S FROCKS & FURBELOWS

Before the wedding day come all the busy, happy days of preparation, when the prospective bride immerses herself daily in mists of filmy lace, sheen of silk and soft draperies of wool. The choosing of a trousseau is a weighty task, for no other gowns in the years to come will mean as much to the wearer as these.

The train of the wedding gown must be seventy-five inches long and the lace gown must fall over the under one of liberty satin in clinging lines at the top and in soft swirls of white about the bottom. The lace and chiffon of the sleeves must fall from the elbow in a graceful point, or perhaps

from the wrist, if the puff below the elbow is gathered there. She has her veil caught gracefully upon her head with orange blossoms, and its mist of tulle falls away from her young face and sweeps down her gown. Upon her arm rests a large bouquet of white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley.

A VOILE GOWN TO GO AWAY IN.

The going-away gown is of the new French voile, in its prettiest tones of gray, with the little shot effects of color in it, and it has a blouse waist, trimmed with white silk braid, and stole fronts, with pendants dangling from the upper and lower portions, just as they dangle from the richly trimmed sleeves. The skirt is made in narrow panels, that flare out at the bottom, and each panel is outlined with braid and trimmed with a pendant. A coat of light gray cloth, trimmed with braid, is to be worn with the suit upon cool days, and the dainty hat is of straw, wound about with softly blended and shaded pompadour silk. Her parasol is of white silk, covered with black filet net, in which is woven an embroidery design of white squares. This has the effect of a light gray parasol, and the edge has a black and white border. With this gown Louise is to wear a pair of bluish-gray stockings, worked with ceramic blue silk, in the new spring style, and for her other gowns are provided hose to match.

Her visiting frock is of silk, with lace trimming and a pelerine, to be worn either over the bodice of the frock or over the stylish short braided pongee coat that accompanies it.

This frock is of embroidered pongee, with broad insets of lace and lace-trimmed fronts and sleeves. Its parasol is lined with softly flowered pink silk, and the hat that accompanies the costume is a mass of tulle and flowers.

For a dinner gown there is a shining pearl gray crepe de chine, made up over pale pink taffeta. It has a looped up flounce of lace, and is embroidered with small pearls and flowers and vines of silk and chiffon in raised effects.

Flowered Evening Gowns.

For this, and for the radiant embroidered silk gauze evening gown, with its garlands of small flowers in different pale tints, and its filmy trimming of point d'Alencon lace, there is a wrap of white lace, of a handsome Cluny pattern, with full sleeves gathered at the wrist, made up over heavy white silk. Long, knotted cords of silk fall down the front of this dainty coat, and it falls lightly over the filmy materials worn under it. To wear with the dinner gown the bride has a dainty dream of a white tulle hat, trimmed with forget-me-nots and soft lines of flowers and tulle under the turned up front brim. For her street frock she has chosen a hat of natural straw color, lined with folds of chiffon of yellowish straw color, and with a speckled brown quill curling all the way around the wide tilt of the front brim. The top of the hat is trimmed with black velvet and chiffon. The hat is charming with the mode-colored street suit which she has selected, and which is made with three pointed side-panels, trimmed, as is the rest of the costume, with bands of embroidered Ottoman silk. Her parasol is of mode-colored taffeta, appliqued with circles of Ottoman silk, and having a border of the same.

In the trousseau is a ceramic blue linen gown, with its cut out and beautiful hand embroidery, and its large oval disks of white lace appliqué upon the skirt, surrounded by numberless white French knots, and a white linen one, with sheath sleeves and dainty piped seams and panels and pretty iris yoke.

A dozen pairs of stockings, suitable for wear with different gowns; a dozen sets of dainty underwear, with hand embroidery and lace frills on the edges; a dozen gowns, made in the new empire style, with lace trimming and long ribbon loops; half a dozen white skirts, with deep flounces, trimmed with lace and appliques, and a dozen corset covers of lawn, with narrow lace edging and Berlin squares set in points around the tops, go into the bride's trunks. Also pink and blue negligees and tea gown of pleated albatross and foamy lace, with long loops of satin ribbon falling to the feet from the yoke.

A tailor gown must not be omitted and, in fact, two at least are always included in the trousseau, one of cloth (serge, cheviot or camel's hair) and one of mohair, made with short skirt and long coat of red, brown or blue cheviot, with dainty silk or chiffon braid the exact color of the skirt, and made in fine accordion pleats, the only trimming a deep lace collar and cuffs, and the gown itself either quite plain or with binding.

The mohair gown is trimmed with stitched bands or plain bias bands of cloth or taffeta. Both plain and figured mohairs are considered fashionable, but in the darker colors the fancy ones are thought the smarter, while in the tan or gray, the plain are the better. Bands of white or pipings of white are in style as trimming, but the smartest of these gowns are quite plain, with only the facings and revers and the ends and tassels or loops of passementerie for fastening to relieve the severe effect.

Above all must be remembered the smart white frock of cloth or voile, with yards and yards of lace and medallions of lace as well. This gown is made always with long skirt, and is most elaborately trimmed, the only exception being when it is made in princess design and worn with deep shoulder cape of lace; then the trimming consists of the tucks and pleats, with occasional medallions of lace on the front and side breadths and in a broad band of lace entre deux which extends from the collar to the hem of the gown in front. Sometimes this trimming is varied by having two lines of the lace instead of one down the front and again at the back. The top of the sleeves is plain and rather small, but below the elbow are to be seen the inevitable puffed lace undersleeves.

The tea gown in chiffon and liberty satin, accordion pleated, with deep lace collar and lace front and jeweled girdle, perhaps the most picturesque of all, is in white, pale blue or pink and can be varied astonishingly by different effects of trimming, while the general style remains the same. The long loose draperies always worn with it are most carefully fitted, being all held in place by a girdle, which can go either around the waist or start from the side seams. The lace tea gown is one of the most costly additions to the trousseau, but is apparently absolutely necessary.

Three silk underskirts of white, colored and black silk, respectively, are made with three flounces, trimmed with lace and edged with narrow, plaited frills of silk. The white and the black skirts were made in Vandyke points, but the flowered blue one had the ruffles set on straight. Besides these were the light colored embroidered flannel skirts for cool days, and three pairs of corsets, a white, a black and a light, flowered pair.

Miss Yu-Keng's Mistake.

Lady Yu-Keng, the mother of Miss Nellie Yu, the piquant and interesting little fiancee of our new Chinese minister, Sir Liang Cheng, told a peculiarly entertaining little incident in her youngest daughter's life—Miss Lizzie, or "Yu Yu," as they called her—to some enthusiastic Americans who have just returned from Paris.

Lady Yu, whose father was an American naval officer, and who has one-fourth less of Chinese blood than her daughters, has traveled extensively with them. While on a visit to France, when they were quite little girls, before the young ladies took their finishing educational course there, they hired a beautiful little villa in a village some hundred miles away from the capital.

Yu Yu, a shiny, black-eyed witch of a little girl, was one day playing in the garden at the back of the villa. She was growing a little restless, being tired of the monotony and quietude of country life. She peeped through a small hole in the high board fence which separated their garden from the one belonging to the next door neighbor. Immediately she espied something that awakened her curiosity, for within a foot of the fence in the next garden was a bench covered with canvas sacks, and out of one end, half concealed and half revealed, was a hard, round, dark brown hairy object.

"A cocoanut!" she inwardly exclaimed, and almost jumped out of her skin for joy. Yu Yu had a penchant for cocoanuts.

But how to get even a smell of the coveted article! Yu Yu did not stop to moralize on the divine right of possession. It was there. And all children believe that what's tasty and toothsome, like apples on trees, etc., belong to those who long for them. But a cocoanut unbroken meant nothing. There was a broomstick lying at hand, and by inserting that through the hole, using all the force at the command of her muscular little body, the shell might at least yield, and would thus display its milky, meaty and odorous contents, which would be a satisfaction in itself. Suiting the action to the thought, bang! went the point of the broomstick against the coveted hairy round object. And lo and behold! up sprang a fierce, dark young man. Catching hold of her by the shoulder, he dragged her into the room opening out on the garden, where Sung Sung, the old family nurse, squatted comfortably.

"Your little girl," he gasped, "she beat me. She banged my head—almost broke it open! What will you do to her for punishment?"

"I thought your head was a cocoanut," said poor Yu Yu, not only disappointed at the rude awakening of her dream, but also dreadfully frightened. The old nurse laughed until the tears ran down her cheeks, and told the young man to go back to his bench and sleep away the pain—she would see to it that the mistake would not occur again.

An Easter Tree.

Since Easter has become in the minds of merrymakers as great an occasion for celebration as Christmas, there have sprung up sundry forms of diversion for the day in keeping with its significance, yet by no means of a strictly religious character. In a millionaire's household where little folks rule supreme, though grown-ups also will enter into the pleasure, there will be an Easter tree. It can be of any kind and need not be taller than a shrub. On its branches are hung a number of dark green balls formed of several leaf-shaped sections. These are run together at the top by a bright bit of baby ribbon, the ends of which hang down loosely. There should be as many bulbs and floating streamers as there are persons to receive gifts.

The bulbs can be made of any soft, green material, the softer the better, as it lends itself more readily to the purpose of protection, which is the surprise of the affair. When all are gathered about the tree each person is given an end of ribbon. At a signal they give a sharp tug and find the ribbon in their hands unattached to the green bulb, which has by this means been separated, disclosing a white paper lily, in the heart of which will be found some little Easter trinket. This tree can be so easily managed that many will undoubtedly add it to their Easter entertainments. The transformation from the sombre, all pervading green of the tree to its lily laden beauty is in touch with the meaning of Easter. One precaution only must be taken, and that is that the ribbon run through the green petals of the bulbs is so lightly held that the pull will act promptly as the magician's wand in showing what a wealth of loveliness is hidden beneath the unprepossessing exterior. Paper can be used for the petals, but it is likely to tear, and the shape of the sections is destroyed when the ribbons are withdrawn.

Nest Hunting.

This is another novelty that will furnish much fun for an Easter Monday frolic. The nests can be made of paper moss, excelsior, or, if intended to be very gay, of colored tinsel such as trees are draped with at Christmas time. In them are placed eggs of different varieties, some of the genuine sort, naturally very hard boiled; others of china and many of wood and candy. The nests are then hidden in every out of the way nook and corner of the house. The guests who are bidden to the nest hunting are requested to dress as they would on a farm, sun bonnets and calico gowns being de rigueur for the feminine contingent and overalls and big straw hats for the masculine. A half an hour is allowed for the hunt, after which time all assemble and show the contents of the baskets which were presented them when they started out on the hunt. The one having the greatest number of real eggs is given a prize. China eggs and the wooden eggs which can be opened, revealing a small toy chicken inside, count each as two real eggs for the others. The candy eggs count for their possessors only as sweets. As the method of scoring is not announced until the hunt is over, there is no likelihood that china and wooden eggs will be passed over, though they count against rather than for the finder. The baskets and eggs are retained as souvenirs.

Strange Customs.

When young Russian girls are anxious to know if they will be married (and what young girl is not anxious to know that?) several of them assemble, each wearing a ring. A large basket of corn is brought in, and each girl drops her ring carefully, stirring up the corn the while. Then a hungry hen is introduced, and whichever maiden's ring is first discovered will be the first one married.

In the marshes of the North Sea coast it was formerly customary in Germany for the bridegroom to give the bride on the day of the betrothal, instead of a ring, a valuable coin, called "eckle," or genuine, as a pledge that the compact between them was binding. This is also a remnant of the time when wives were acquired by right of purchase, and the custom is still prevalent in some isolated places.

Among un-Christianized nations betrothal rings are unknown. For example, a Mohammedan, instead of giving his bride a ring, bestows on her a "Maschkaa," or square amulet of pure gold, which the girl hangs around her neck. In India a small amulet is worn by a woman as a badge of marriage. It generally consists of many colored beads, and is about as large around as a bracelet, but there must be some gold in it, however little.

An amulet ring of the fifteenth century, discovered some eight years ago in England, was supposed to guarantee its wearer against all evil. In the middle is the figure of Christ, with the five holy wounds, from which ooze drops of blood. The surrounding inscriptions are: "The well of everlasting life," "The well of pity," "The well of mercy," "The well of comfort" and "The well of grace."

Among the Anglo-Saxons the ring was worn only by the bride or wife, on whose right hand it was placed at betrothal, being transferred to the left hand at the marriage ceremony. The ring adorned with death's heads is a masterpiece of the Italian goldsmith's art in the sixteenth century.

SNUG LITTLE BUG IN SEARCH OF A WIFE.

Snug Little Bug folded all of his six slender little legs and leaned back in an attitude which plainly showed that although his body might be at ease his mind was busy.

"Here," said he to himself, "here am I, one of the richest of the Snug Bugs living in Nurseryland, and yet I live all alone. I own a beautiful house of gold (it wasn't really a house of gold, only a battered old brass thimble, which had been lost under the bureau which stood in one corner of Nurseryland; but it was yellow and bright, and Snug Little Bug believed it to be gold), and in that house I have a store of cake crumbs large enough to satisfy any one of the tribe of Snug Bugs. Surely, it is time I married."

With this he unfolded all of his six slender little legs and crawled from his thimble house, just as Miss Fly came whirring along.

"Good morning, dear Miss Fly," said Snug Little Bug, politely. "You are just the person I wish most to see. I am about to marry—will you be my wife? I am rich and I will keep you in cake crumbs all your life, and you shall live in my gold house."

"Really, Mr. Snug Little Bug, you surprise me," replied Miss Fly, "but I haven't time to marry. Please excuse me. You will pardon my haste, I am sure, but I must be off," and away she flew on her busy errand, which was of no importance at all, like most of the errands which keep the Fly family busy.

"Well, after all, I doubt I should have been happy with her," mused Snug Little Bug. "She's too flighty for a steady person like me."

Fluttering through the window which gave light and air in Nurseryland came beautiful Miss Butterfly.

"Ah," cried Snug Little Bug, noting with an admiring eye how graceful Miss Butterfly flitted hither and thither with no purpose in the world, except to enjoy herself, "there is one who suits me."

"Good morning, dear Miss Butterfly," said he, making his very best bow, which was a very fine bow indeed, he having six legs to bend, "you are the person I wish most to see. I am about to marry—will you be my wife? I am rich and I will keep you in cake crumbs all your life and you shall live in my gold house."

"Indeed I will not marry you," replied Miss Butterfly. "You are a ridiculous creature to ask me. I am to marry a beautiful Sun Beam and live far, far away, in a cloud made of gold and lamb's fleece," and away she flew, without even saying "Good-by."

Buzzing around a great taffy drop, which the Big Boy who was King of Nurseryland had left on the floor among the Toy People, was Miss Bee.

"How hard Miss Bee works," said Snug Little Bug. "Ah! She will make a good wife and help me to become richer."

So Snug Little Bug made her a fine bow.

"Good morning, dear Miss Bee," said he, "you are the person I wish most to see. I am about to marry—will you be my wife? I am rich and I will keep you in cake crumbs all your life and you shall live in my gold house."

"How foolish you are to ask me!" scolded Miss Bee. "Haven't you heard that I am to marry the Red Rose, who lives in the beautiful bush outside the window?" And she, too, flew away, leaving Snug Little Bug to think what a scold she was and how unhappy he should be with such a wife.

"Why, finding a wife is not as easy as I thought," he pondered. "Perhaps I had better seek advice of Old Mr. Book Worm." Then he scampered across the great rug in the center of Nurseryland to the bookcase where Old Mr. Book Worm lived.

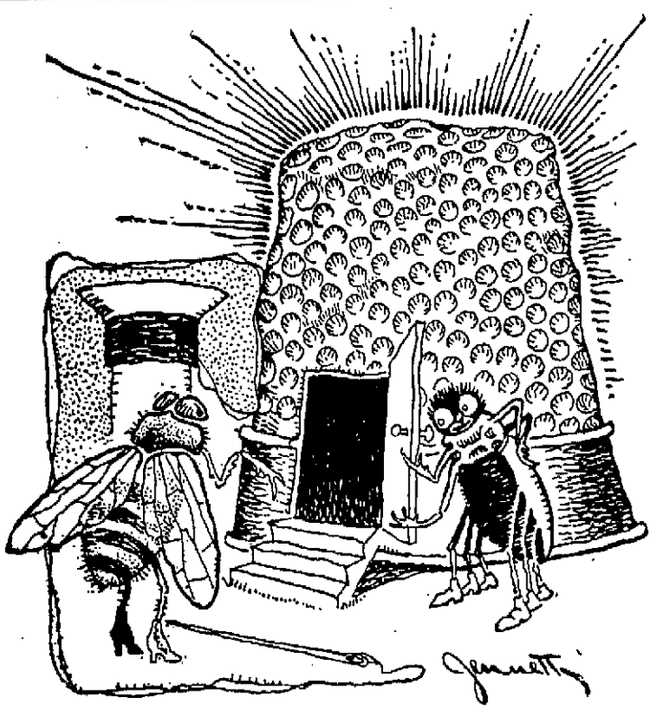
"Dear, dear!" grumbled Old Mr. Book Worm—for he was cross and sour of heart. "You should not bother so wise a person as myself with your silly affairs. I have not time to help you find a wife, for I have a great book to read before midnight. Go to Miss Water Bug, who lives up there in the washstand. No doubt she will be glad to marry you. Now, be off!"

Snug Little Bug thought Old Mr. Book Worm a very surly fellow, indeed, but still he thanked him for his advice, for he was always polite, and started away to find Miss Water Bug, who lived near the mouth of the drain pipe in the washstand.

"Good morning, dear Miss Water Bug," said he, as she came to the narrow little door of her house, which, it must be known, was only a crack, "you are the person I wish most to see. I am about to marry—will you be my wife? I am rich, and will keep you in cake crumbs all your life, and you shall live in my gold house."

"Why, as to that," replied Miss Water Bug, "I hardly know——"

But just what Miss Water Bug was going to say poor Snug Little Bug never knew, for in making her his very best bow he lost his footing and fell down the drain pipe. Down and down he tumbled, until presently he struck the water and was sent whirling and whirling along in a great dark sewer.



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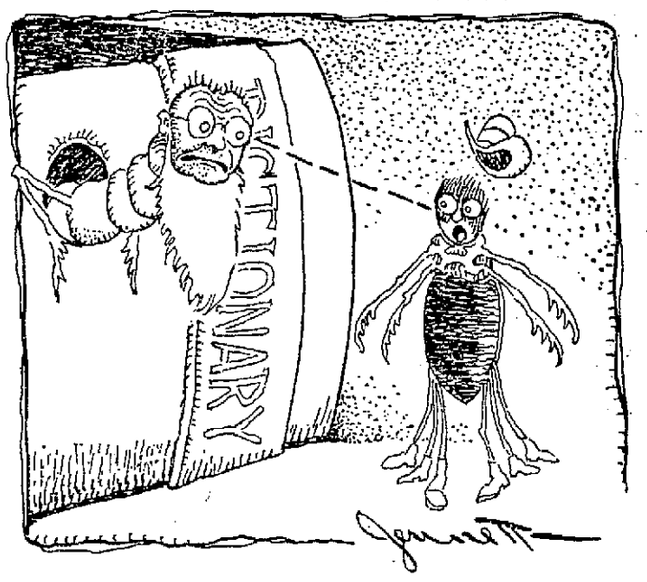


"You Should Not Bother So Wise a Person."

"Dear me!" sighed Snug Little Bug, "this is very unpleasant. I am wet through and through, and I am sure my very best suit of clothes is ruined. Besides, here I am tossing and tossing about on a great dark sea, which does not smell very good, without knowing whither I am going. Dear me! This is very, very unpleasant."

But Snug Little Bug was stout of heart, so he struck out and swam bravely. Soon the stick of a half-burnt match struck him.

"Ah, this is a pleasant surprise," said Snug Little Bug, as he climbed upon the stick. "Here I have a nice boat. I shall take a sail now and play I am a sailor in search of new and strange countries."

On and on sailed Snug Little Bug until the sewer, with a great splash and roar, emptied into the great, wide ocean. The sun had long ago gone to sleep in his rosy cloud bed in the west, and the moon was smiling on the edge of the ocean, making a great silver path on the water.

"This is really a delightful voyage I am having!" cried Snug Little Bug, joyfully. "Here I am sailing along on a sea of silver and going straight on and on to join the moon. See, she is smiling at me. Ah, she shall be my wife and be kept in cake crumbs all her life and live in my gold house. I shall sail right along until I reach her."

But whether Snug Little Bug ever did reach the smiling moon and ask her to be his wife and live in his gold house you and I will never know, for he never came back to tell.

IN GAY NEW YORK.

There was a fair maid of New York,
Who picked up her peas with a fork,
But when no one was there,
The cupboard was bare,
She ate all there was in New York!

IN THE CONTRARY ZOO.

The fox was dogging the rabbit's steps,
The jackal was aping the dog,
The wolf walked around with a sheepish look
And Bruin was acting the hog.

The lion played 'possum, the monkey he foxed,
And the parrot was voted a goose,
The elephant monkeyed awhile with his trunk,
While they lionized Antlers, the moose.

The puma in anger shed crocodile tears
And called the pround leopard a "minx,"
While her friend the giraffe was a "pig-headed thing,"
And a "puppy" her cousin the lynx.

These strange contradictions perplexed me awhile,
So I hastened to ask an emu
What it meant. She replied:—"What a donkey you are!
Why this is the "Contrary Zoo!"

THEIR KITES FIGHT.

Japan must be a nice country for boys and girls to live in.

They have lots of toys, and great fun in playing with them. What would you think if you saw one of our little girls sitting on the sidewalk baking little cakes in a little stove with a real oven? You'd laugh. That is what little Miss Japan does, and it seems quite proper.

She does not even have to buy her stove, but can rent it from a boy pedler, and may keep it for a whole hour for a little money.

The toy pedler also furnishes her with a lump of sweet dough, and as there is already a real fire in the stove she has only to make her dough into little cakes and bake them, and afterwards eat them, which is not the most unpleasant part of it at all.

Often she has her dolls all about her, for she usually has a very large family.

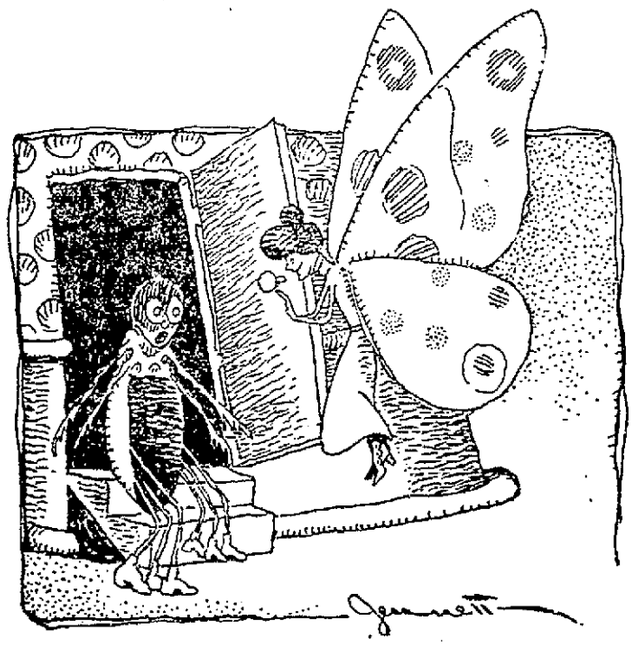
They are of all sizes and kinds, and the little mother keeps them very carefully, for in Japan the doll holds a very important place. Indeed, there is a special day, March 3, set aside and called the "Feast of Dolls." That is a joyful time, I can tell you, for every little Japanese girl. And the boys? Well, the boys have good times, too.

The kite is what they like best, and such kites as they have! American boys would open their eyes if they could see them. Not only are they of all shapes and sizes, but some actually sing—that is, they make music like that of an aeolian harp as they float in the air.

Others look like animals, but the oddest of all are the fighting kites. These have their strings soaked with glue, into which powdered glass has been dusted, for a distance of 30 feet from the kite. When the glue hardens the string becomes as sharp as a file.

The boys try to get their strings crossed while in the air. Then each pulls his kite this way and that until one of the strings cuts the other in two.

In such a case the owner of the victorious kite is entitled to the one that has been cut.



"Indeed, I will not marry you."

HOLE IN THE PICTURES

BY LAWRENCE B. FLETCHER.

Do you know that you are blind in both eyes?

If you look with one eye at a painting or out of a window you do not see all the canvas or the landscape. There is a hole in the picture, a pretty big hole, as large in proportion as a hole made by poking your finger through a small photograph of the picture. You would be likely to notice, even with one eye, such a hole in the photograph. Why do you not notice the larger hole in the larger picture? One reason is that the hole moves with your eye and is never in the direction in which you are looking. When you turn to look at it it has moved to another place, and as your eye naturally roves rapidly over the whole picture, every part of which you see at one time or another, you are not conscious of missing one part now and another part then.

When both eyes are open there is no hole, as each eye sees the spot missed by the other. To find the hole it is best to take a picture made expressly for the purpose, like the star and cross printed here.

Shut your left eye, hold the paper at arm's length and look straight at the star—the left-hand figure. You still see the cross, though you are not looking directly at it. Gradually bring the paper nearer, always looking at the star. Presently you miss the cross. It has vanished into the "hole."

As you bring the paper still nearer the cross reappears, and if you repeat the experiment slowly you will notice that it goes and comes gradually. The left-hand side—nearest to the star—is the first to vanish and the first to appear again.

If the star and cross are three inches apart the cross will vanish when you bring the paper within 11 or 12 inches from your eye, and reappear when it is a couple of inches closer.

At this distance of 10 or 12 inches the missing part of the picture—the hole—is nearly one inch in diameter.

You can repeat the star and cross experiment with the left eye by looking at the cross and making the star vanish. Now, what is this hole in the picture? You have perhaps heard the eye compared to a photographic camera, and that is just what it is. Only, instead of a sensitive plate or film, it has a multitude of delicate organs sensitive to light scattered over the back of the eye and connected with nerves which come together and pass out of the eye in a bundle wires strung on a bridge which forms the entrance to a city. After crossing the bridge the wires separate and spread through the city, and at the end of each wire there is a telephone, by means of which you can send and receive messages.

But you hear no sound when you put your ear to the wires on the bridge, because there is no telephone there.

So with the nerves of the eye. There is no apparatus sensitive to light at the point where they enter the eye, and, therefore, the part of the picture that would be found at that spot is blank—as much so as if the spot were an actual hole in a photographic plate on which you were taking a picture.

This blind spot in the eye is only a twentieth of an inch in diameter, but it is a large spot for so small a picture, and it makes a hole as big in proportion in the larger picture or real scene at which the eye is looking.

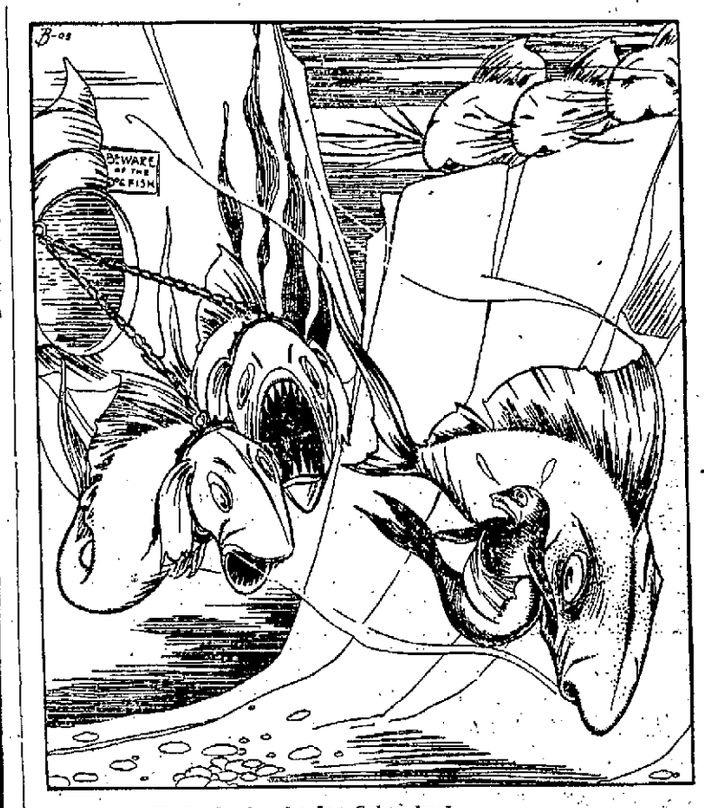
CIVIL WAR BATTLES.

All the young folk who are learning how the Union was preserved and the battles with which the effort to keep it intact is marked will find this Civil War puzzle picture interesting. There are six prominent battles illustrated. Can you guess them?

MOTHER COD JINGLES.

MARIE OVERTON CORBIN AND CHARLES BUXTON GOING.

Old King Coal-fish was a merry old shoal fish,
A merry old sole was he;
He called for his pipe-fish, and called for his glass-fish,
And called for his fiddler-crabs three.



Hark! hark! the dog-fishes bark,
The cat-fishes lazily purr;
The dog-fishes' bark was to frighten the shark,
Which was stealing the baby seal's fur.

THE GARDEN'S PARTY.

The garden gave a party,
The blossoms all were there;
Each blossom came in best attire,
With well combed maidenhair.

They were all in brilliant colors,
Scarlet and white and blue;
While on every blossom's dainty feet
Were lady slippers new.

Not bare handed came the blossoms,
The cards had said "full dress;"
And each slim blossom hand was clasped
In soft foxglove caress.

Queen Margaret ruled the revels,
Her crown with jewel weeds gleamed;
But when they saw her filmy gown
The blossoms almost screamed.

"Her clothes are not her own," said they;
"Her conduct's a disgrace,
From head to foot she's borrowed,
She's wearing Queen Anne's lace."

The Queen tried hard to pass it off,
Said she: "It's pleasant weather."
She tossed her head, the blossoms saw
She wore the princess' feather.

Rose and violet led the dance,
Across the rolling green,
While soft beams of the moon flower
Lit up the charming scene.

There were not sufficient glasses
When the guests were asked to sup,
And the hostess, greatly mortified,
Drank from a buttercup.

And when the dance was over,
Hanging their sleepy heads,
The tired but happy blossoms
Sought out their garden beds.

A CONQUERING HERO.

Sir Nelson Napoleon Nero
Was a noble young knight,
All armored for fight;
A gallant and brave looking hero,
Who vowed he knew nothing of fright.

He boldly set off for the battle,
This knight without fear;
And his death dealing spear
Against his chain armor would rattle
As he marched to a doughty career.

He strode on with courage and valor
Until, close to his side,
A mouse he espied!
When, pale as a phantom with pallor,
He flew to the barracks to hide.

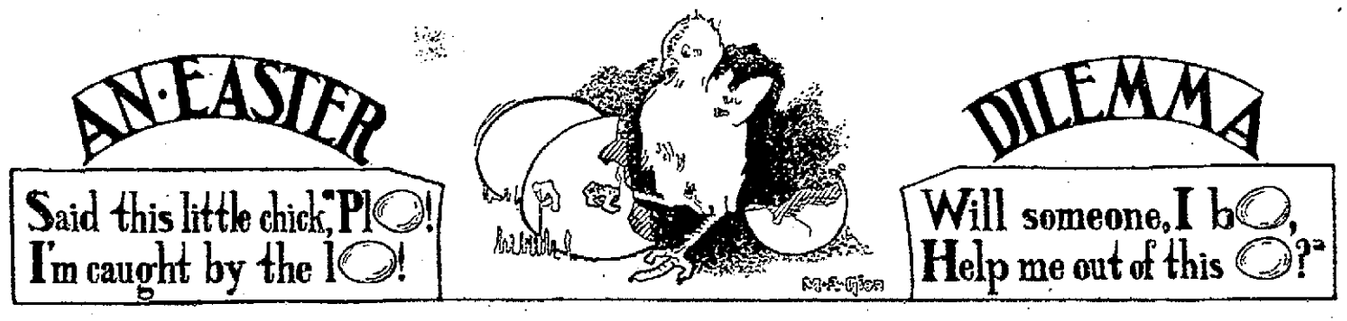
And the noble and valiant young hero
Will never forget
The foe that he met.
For Sir Nelson Napoleon Nero
Is shaking and shivering yet.

CAROLYN WELLS.

SHADOW BUFF.

This game is played as follows:—If there be a white curtain at the window it may be fastened at the bottom, so as to make a smooth surface; or, in the absence of a white curtain, a tablecloth may be fastened upon the wall. The one chosen to act the part of Shadow Buff sits before the curtain, with his back to the light. When all is arranged, the others in the game pass by on the opposite side of the room, so as to cast their shadows on the white surface. Shawls or any other article of dress may be worn and other means of disguise used, such as walking lame, &c. Buff looks only on the shadow and is to guess its owner's name. When correct in his guess the person named is to change places with him.

The stockings of a Japanese boy or girl are very funny affairs. They are really slippers and stockings in one, for when they are in the house the little Japs wear no shoes.



A MOTHER'S CHARGE.

Sad Scene at the Bedside of a Dying Boy—Society Women Accused of Causing His Death.

I. H. Gambell, in the Baptist Standard, vouches for the following:

In the town of ——, Texas, a young man lay dying of wounds received in a saloon row. Neighbors, male and female, crowded the parental home. "The scene," says an eye witness, "was indescribable in its intense agony." On the right of the bed sat the father, and on the left sat the mother, each holding a hand of their boy, while the death damp gathered on his handsome brow. Solemn awe was on each face, and the death stillness was disturbed only by the heavy breathing of the drink victim.

Quietly the mother rose from her seat, and, turning her deathly pale face to the silent watchers, said: "My boy is dying on the altar of society. I charge you women with his blood. From your hands he received the wine glass; with you he drank at the punch bowl over his mother's protest. I charge you men with his blood. You voted to place the gilded saloon before him, and it beguiled him to this awful end. Each of you have known full well that the wine glass, punch bowl and the saloon cannot be maintained without victims.

"I CHARGE YOU WITH HIS BLOOD."

"My husband and my sons, I charge you before God with the blood of your son and brother. You gave the saloon your influence, and votes for business, and now you would give all your business to close the gaping wounds and light again these sightless eyes. Won't you let this victim be enough, and spare the lives of other boys and hearts of other mothers?" Then she staggered and fell.

A month later this mother's heart ceased to ache, and her emancipated spirit went up before the Great Judge, to testify against the murderers of her boy, male and female. Society women and business men, "Are you ready for the judgment day?" How many victims have you helped to send on before? How many are to come after you, as contributions to your society and business? Are any of these victims your friends, neighbors, brothers, sons?

ALCOHOL AND TUBERCULOSIS.

What Dr. Dickenson, of St. George's Hospital, London, Has to Say Concerning Them.

Dr. Dickenson, consulting physician to St. George's hospital, in a recent lecture, gave the following valuable evidence, as regards the relation of alcohol to tuberculosis:

That alcohol does not prohibit but favors the growth of tubercle.

His observations were made on persons in the London hospitals, and in the post mortem examinations he found in 149 cases that 61 had tubercle of the lung, and in the same number of cases of non-alcoholics 44 had tubercle of the lung. In regard to other organs and structures liable to tubercle—the brain, the liver, the kidneys, the spleen, the bowels, the mesenteric glands and the peritoneum, every one of these in the alcoholic class displayed tuberculosis at least twice as often as the non-alcoholic.

He therefor concludes that alcohol promotes tubercle, and that not because it begets the bacilli, but because it impairs the tissues and makes them ready to yield to the attacks of the parasites.

THE COCAINE HABIT.

Great Growth Marked in the Addiction, and Many Evils Attributed to It.

Even the most casual of newspaper readers must have noticed how many have been the cases of cocaine poisoning during the last few years. Either the drug has been prescribed in the first instance by a physician or—what is more common, has been an ingredient in some patent medicine to relieve nerve pain. Its value as a local anaesthetic and its immediate tonic effect upon the nervous system are so marked that the patient grows more and more to depend on it for relief; the cocaine habit is induced, and the victim soon becomes a physical and mental wreck. The dangers attaching to the indiscriminate use of this alkaloid of the cocoa plant, its fascination for neurotic subjects, are now well recognized among physicians of repute, but it forms a too frequent constituent in many popular medicines, for it is a cheap drug, and, unhappily, there are (at least, so far as America is concerned) no restrictions or laws regulating the sale. It is difficult to exaggerate the subtle and pernicious influence of this drug. The absence of those unpleasant after effects which attend indulgence in morphia or chloral, the sense of physical well being and mental exhilaration consequent, makes the drug more fascinating to the jaded worker, who is firmly possessed of the belief that he can discontinue its use when he pleases. "Cocainism," remarks Dr. T. D. Crothers (in his new book on "Morphinism and Narcomanias from Other Drugs") "is a new disease of civilization. Its prevalence is certainly a grim commentary upon existing social conditions, for it seems to fall most heavily upon the extremes of society — the rich and the impoverished classes. Like other social sores, its real cure cannot be effected permanently by any legislative act, for the drug habit is merely another aspect of that big social problem which long ago fretted the soul of Ruskin and still confronts social reformers of every kind, but much may and should be done in rendering more difficult indulgence in this drug. The neurotic we have always with us; he is one of the inventions of the nineteenth century; but if we are powerless for the time being to change the atmosphere in which he lives, we can fence him around with better safeguards."—London Speaker.

THREE ROBBERS.

Capt. Alcohol, Lieut. Tobacco and Sergt. Gamble Do More Harm Than All Other Highwaymen.

There are three robbers which are doing more harm than all the highwaymen we read about of the bad old days put together. The name of the first robber is Drink.

Capt. Alcohol.—Now I need not say much about No. 1. Everyone knows that Drink is a great robber, stripping men of food, money, health and character. But it is not very often, you know, that robbers carry on their bad business singly. And thus it is that Drink, alias Alcohol, the biggest rascal of the three, is captain of a band of robbers, and his chief lieutenant is the rogue Tobacco.

Lieut. Tobacco.—Now, boys who make a companion of this bad fellow are walking in a dangerous road. Cigarettes and cigars and pipes spoil what is good in up-growing lads, and take away what they have of brains, muscle and will. Boys who want good brains and to get good situations and succeed in life must have nothing to do with the robber Tobacco.

Sergt. Gamble.—Alcohol's second officer, whose company we must take care to avoid, is Sergt. Gamble. A great newspaper once said that "Gambling is an amusement to which is directly traceable more misery, more ruin, more demoralization, than any other pastime." Let us, then, avoid it. Don't let us "toss" or bet, or try to get gain by chance or trickery. Honest work which brings wages and helps to preserve peace of mind and health of body, is better than all the "luck" in the world.

TEMPERANCE ITEMS.

Alcoholic degenerates are specially prone to become self-accusers, offering themselves to the authorities as guilty of crimes committed by others or confessing guilt for acts which have occurred only in their imaginations.

The present distressing condition of many peasants in Sweden has revived interest in the national evil—drink. Reliable statistics, according to the Alliance News, show that 52 per cent. of the paupers of Sweden are habitual drunkards, and that 39 per cent. of pauper children cared for in national almshouses are the offspring of drinking parents.

Lombroso, who is the greatest living authority on criminology, recently had an opportunity to test scientifically the effects of alcohol in developing latent criminal tendencies. The subject of his experiments was a man who had surrendered himself to the police with the avowal that anarchists wished to make him their instrument for assassinating the king of Italy. The man seemed sane, but no corroboration of his story could be obtained. Unexpectedly, after drinking wine, he broke out into anarchistic threats. Acting upon this hint, Prof. Lombroso administered alcohol to him in carefully measured quantities, and discovered that after he had drunk a certain amount he developed violent criminal tendencies, all recollections of which appeared to have vanished from his mind when the effects of alcohol had passed off.—Journal of Inebriety.

Peculiarities of Some Inebriates.

Persons who become inebriates have often a history of what is called odd spells before alcohol is used. These so-called spells are either fits of depression, great excitement, or strange indifference and neglect of the ordinary duties. Alcohol is taken as a medicine, either from the advice of the physician or from desire for relief. As one man expressed it, hypos bothered him for years before he used spirits; since then he had been free from it. Dr. Brower describes a condition in which the peculiarities of the patient were relieved and he was brought back to a normal condition after the use of spirits. He described such a case as when under the influence of liquor he was a sober, rational person. When abstaining he was flighty, erratic in speech, manner and acts, and in reality he was never sober and rational unless he was under the influence of spirits, and was always crazy and wild when sober.—Journal of Inebriety.

DUE NOTICE IS SERVED.

Due notice is hereby served on the public generally that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the only salve on the market that is made from the pure, unadulterated witch hazel. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of piles that would not yield to any other treatment, and this fact has brought out many worthless counterfeits. Those persons who get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are never disappointed, because it cures. Meyer Bros. & Co.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for April 5, 1903—Paul's Farewell to Ephesus.

THE LESSON TEXT.

(Acts 20:28-38.)

28. Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which He hath purchased with His own blood.

29. For I know this, that after my departing shall grievous wolves enter in among you, not sparing the flock.

30. Also of your own selves shall men arise, speaking perverse things, to draw away disciples after them.

31. Therefore watch, and remember, that by the space of three years I ceased not to warn everyone night and day with tears.

32. And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.

33. I have coveted no man's silver, or gold, or apparel.

34. Yea, ye yourselves know, that these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me.

35. I have shewed you all things, how that so labering ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how He said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

36. And when he had thus spoken, he kneeled down and prayed with them all.

37. And they all wept sore, and fell on Paul's neck and kissed him,

38. Sorrowing most of all for the words which he spake, that they should see his face no more. And they accompanied him unto the ship.

GOLDEN TEXT.—**Remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how He said, It is more blessed to give than to receive.—Acts 20: 35.**

OUTLINE OF SCRIPTURE SECTION.

The lesson may properly be said to include the entire chapter:

Paul Revisits Churches in Europe .....Acts 20:1-3.
Starts Back Toward Jerusalem..Acts 20:4-16.
A Message for the Ephesians..Acts 20:17-24.
Warnings to the Church.....Acts 20:25-31.
His Final Leave-Taking.....Acts 20:32-38.
TIME—A. D. 57.
PLACE—Miletus, 30 miles south of Ephesus.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Paul Revisits Churches in Europe.—After nearly three years of ministry at Ephesus Paul was forced by the trouble stirred up by bitter opponents of his preaching to leave that place. Whereupon he decided to revisit the churches he had founded in Europe; in Macedonia, Philippi, Berea, Thessalonica, and in Greece, chiefly at Corinth.

Starts Back to Jerusalem.—Paul's plan for the future at this time was very definite. The visits to the churches in Asia Minor and in Greece and Macedonia were farewell visits for the purpose of strengthening those churches, then, if in the providence of God he should be permitted so to do, he would return to Jerusalem, in which city he had not spent any considerable time for many years, and from thence to Rome, the capital of the world.

A Message to the Ephesians.—On the homeward journey toward Jerusalem Paul comes to Miletus. The duration of his vessel's stay at Miletus was uncertain, so instead of going to Ephesus he sent for the leaders of the church to come to him. He reminds them of the way in which he did his work while among them, exemplifying in his own life the qualities of a true disciple. The one quality he emphasizes is humility of mind. Then he reminds them, how, in spite of the difficulty of the work on account of the "lying in wait of the Jews" he taught publicly and from house to house. This is an important suggestion for the Christian worker, namely, to emphasize neither the public side of his work nor the quieter, the "house to house" way, at the expense of the other. Both are important, and he who has the gift of a persuasive public speaker can strengthen his work incalculably by means of the personal touch. In verse 21 Paul sums up in the fewest possible words the gist of his preaching, the two vital truths of a Christian experience. He preached first "repentance toward God," and secondly "faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ." Turning from his past work Paul looks toward the future. Forebodings of certain danger to himself in connection with his work are on his mind. But in spite of this knowledge he gives utterance to those noble words: "But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry I have received....to testify the gospel of the grace of God." With the certainty of fate does this great man push forward in his God-appointed work in spite of all obstacles.

Warnings to the Church.—It is with sadness that Paul speaks of the future of the church at Ephesus. "Men shall arise who shall speak perverse things and even draw away disciples from the true faith." In view of this condition Paul first says: "Take heed therefore unto yourselves," and secondly, "unto all the flock." He had just reminded these representatives from Ephesus that he was "pure from the blood of all men. "This was in reference to Ezekiel 3:18, "When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; and thou givest him not warning, ...to save his life: the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require of thy hand."

Spear Points.

Prayer without thought will be without fruit.

To pander to the lowest faculties is to paralyze the higher.

God is the only one who can be trusted with vengeance.

Blessed is the man who does not draw his ideals from his idols.

Grasping a dime may keep you out of Heaven as much as greed for a dollar.

The habit into which you put your heart will either be a holy or a harmful one.—Ram's Horn.

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BOWSER ON A WIRE

He Becomes Interested In Occult Science and Tries Mental Telegraphy

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THAT Mr. Bowser had struck a new idea since leaving for the office in the morning was plain enough to Mrs. Bowser at first glance as he reached home the other evening. He appeared languid and ethereal, or tried to, and when he spoke it was in a dreamy way, with his eyes looking into vacancy. He evidently wanted her to notice his demeanor and question him, but she waited for things to develop. At dinner he picked and sipped and sighed now and then as if in love, and when the meal had been finished he sat down and began reading a little book that he took from his pocket. At intervals as

"CAN'T YOU SEE THAT I AM COMMUNING WITH THE SPIRITUAL?"

he read he would lift his eyes to the ceiling and mutter to himself, and she finally took pity on him and inquired:

"Have you got colic again tonight, dear?"

"Colic!" he hoarsely exclaimed in reply as he lowered his eyes to her face. "Heavens, woman, but how your commonplace language rasps my soul!"

"Yes, the word colic is commonplace enough, but if you are in pain why don't you say so and let me give you a dose of something?"

"I am not in pain. Can't you see that I am communing with the spiritual—that I am seeking to rise above things earthly?"

"What book is that?"

"It is a work on the occult sciences, and I want you to read it after I get through. It tells of some wonderful things. Just now I am trying to get into mental communication with an old schoolmate of mine—Ben Hayes—who died five years ago."

"And what is the price of coal where he is?" innocently asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Stop, woman—stop right there!"

"Another tramp, sir, and he wants 10 cents, if you please," said the cook as she returned.

"Give it to him—give him a dollar—a hundred dollars!" whooped Mr. Bowser as he rose up and turned about and made wild gestures through the air.

The cook went downstairs at two jumps to hustle the tramp out, and it was at least ten long minutes before Mrs. Bowser summoned up the courage to remark:

"If I were you, I'd try to get into communication with some living person. Green must be home at this hour."

"Have you become interested at last?"

"To an extent—yes. As Green is only three doors away, I shouldn't wonder if you could converse with him."

Mr. Bowser was suspicious of her good intentions, and he hadn't great confidence in himself, but he finally sat down again and tried his best to lose sight of the fact that he would be out of furnace coal in three days more and other things earthly. After three or four minutes he said:

"I believe I've got him, and I'm going to tell him to come over and have a game of checkers."

"Have his wife come along, too, as I want to know where she got her new hat."

"Now I am speaking to him, and he seems to be strangely moved. He looks all around as if mystified. Now he gets up and puts on his hat and overcoat. Now he is out of the gate. Now he is coming up our steps. Now he is ringing"—

"It's another tramp, sir," announced the cook, "and he says he hasn't had any sherry for most three weeks."

"By the bones of Andrew Jackson!" shouted Mr. Bowser as he came back to earth and followed the cook down stairs, but the tramp heard the house shake and fled away. Mrs. Bowser was laughing in spite of herself when the occult got back to the sitting room, and, after one long, cold glare at her, he went down the hall and put on his overcoat and hat.

"Are you going out?" she asked.

He did not answer. He opened the door and passed out into the night. There were Buddhism, Brahmanism and mystery all around him. He felt it in the air, and he heard it in the rumble of the street car. He walked slowly down to the gate in a sort of trance, and he might have been able to call up his friend Ben Hayes from that point if something hadn't happened. The tramp who had called last returned, and, standing on the other side of the street, he called out:

"Git on to the way the old cock is rolling up his eyes and twisting up his mouth!"

Mr. Bowser hadn't got so far into infinite space but that he heard and understood, and a war whoop called Mrs.

THE TRAMP WAS GALLOPING AWAY FOR HIS LIFE, AND BEHIND HIM AND GAINING AT EVERY JUMP WAS BOWSER.

Bowser and the cat to the door on a run. They opened it in time to see the tramp galloping away for his life, and behind him and gaining at every jump was Mr. Bowser. Half an hour later he re-entered the house. His face was flushed, and he was still breathing hard.

"Well, did you get into communication with the tramp?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

"None o' your business," he bluntly and vulgarly answered as he passed upstairs.

M. QUAD.

Professional Criticism.

"But," sneers the tattooed lady, "the contortionist is such a piece of vanity!"

"I have never noticed it," argues the wild man. "He always seemed to me to be a perfectly modest, unassuming fellow."

"Unassuming!" exclaims the tattooed lady. "And half the time he is simply wrapped up in himself."—Judge.

That Hand.

If I might hold that hand again,
Clasped lovingly by mine,
I'd little care what others sought—
That hand I hold, lean syne!

That hand! Oh, warm it was and soft!
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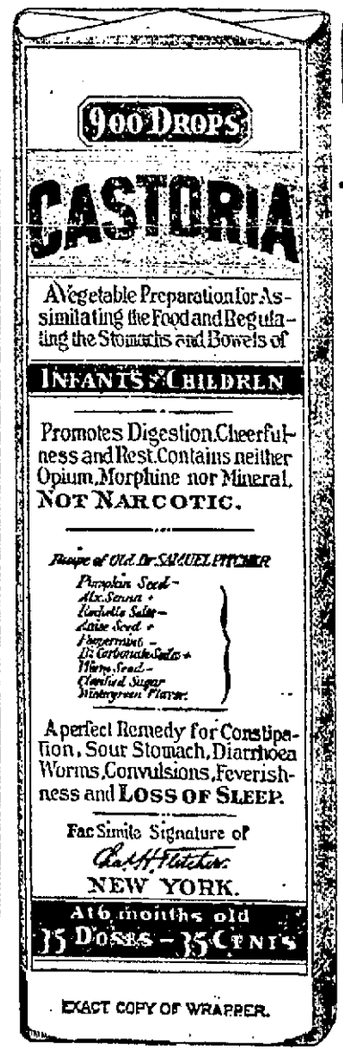
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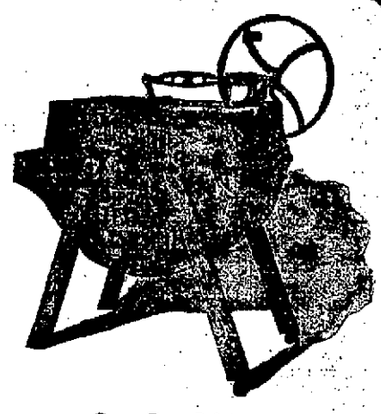

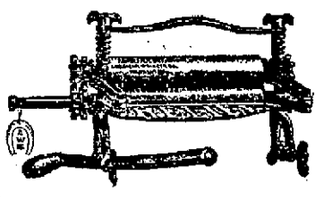

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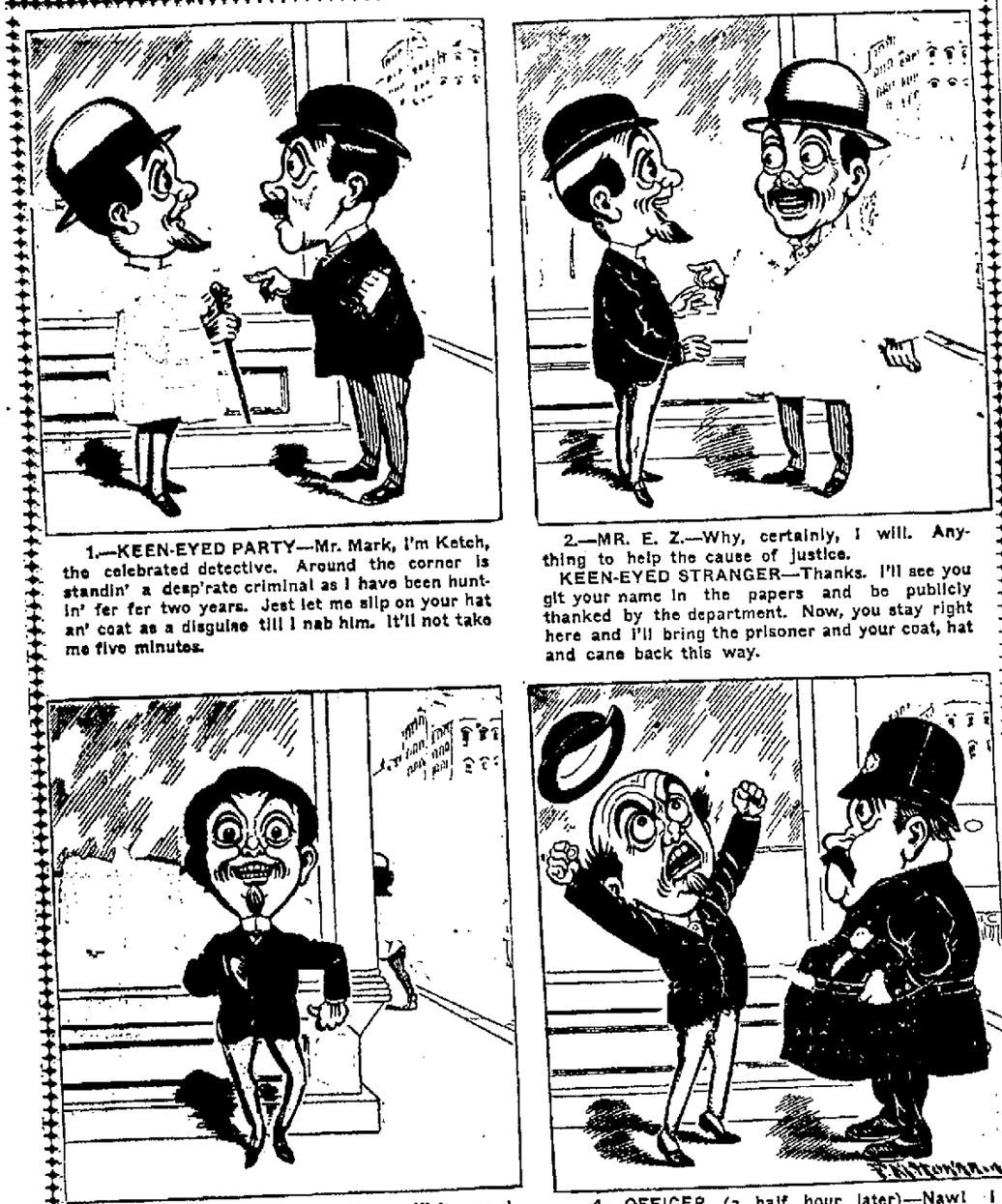


1.—KEEN-EYED PARTY—Mr. Mark, I'm Ketch, the celebrated detective. Around the corner is standin' a desp'rate criminal as I have been huntin' fer fer two years. Jest let me slip on your hat an' coat as a disguise till I nab him. It'll not take me five minutes.

2.—MR. E. Z.—Why, certainly, I will. Anything to help the cause of justice.

KEEN-EYED STRANGER—Thanks. I'll see you git your name in the papers and be publicly thanked by the department. Now, you stay right here and I'll bring the prisoner and your coat, hat and cane back this way.

3.—MR. E. Z.—Gee, whiz! Mary will be proud of me, I know. See my name in the paper and a public commendation of my act from the department. I think I'll send the papers one of my photographs.

4.—OFFICER (a half hour later)—Nawl I didn't see nothin' of Detective Ketch 'round here, 'cause he's down in Mexico. Did I see anything of a man with a light overcoat, a tall hat and a cane? Yes; the same passed me up the street a half-hour ago.

MR. E. Z.—Great grief! Buncoed again! A sixty-dollar overcoat, a seven-dollar hat, a five-dollar cane—G-O-N-E!

READY FOR MORE.

MISSIONARY—Have you never had a taste of civilization?

CHIEF—Oh, yes! The last ship that stopped here left a barrel of it, but it's all gone now.

COMPETITION.

"Oh, Count! This is so sudden!"

"I know it is, but there are so many of us noblemen over here looking for heiresses that a fellow has to hustle or get left.

A DIFFICULT PROBLEM.

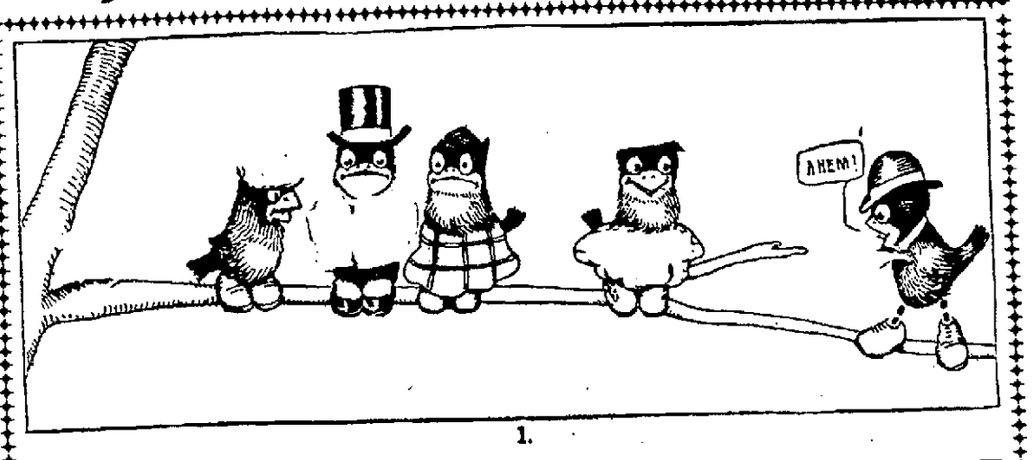
"How studious Grace is getting to be."

"Yes, she's studying what to wear on commencement day."

THE OFFICE BOY REFLECTS

"There's no smoke without a fire!"

Dickey Might Have Known There'd Be Trouble.



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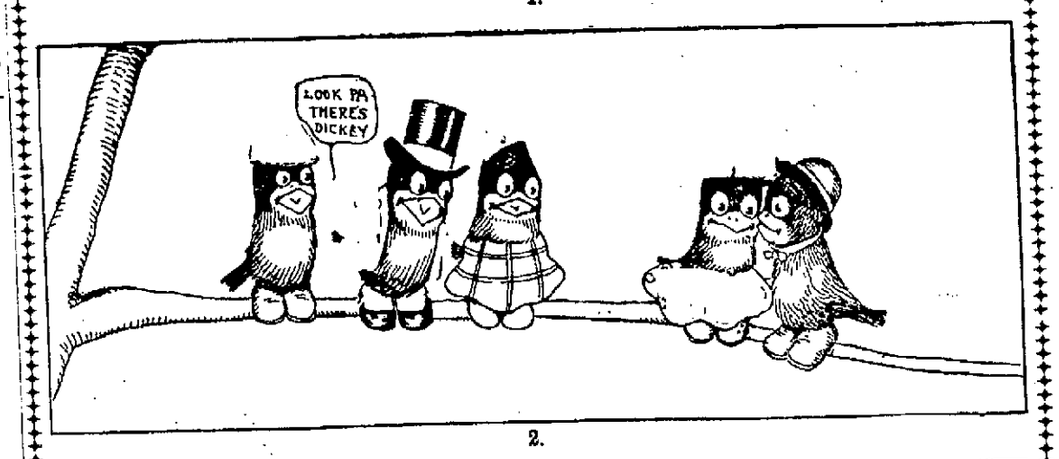

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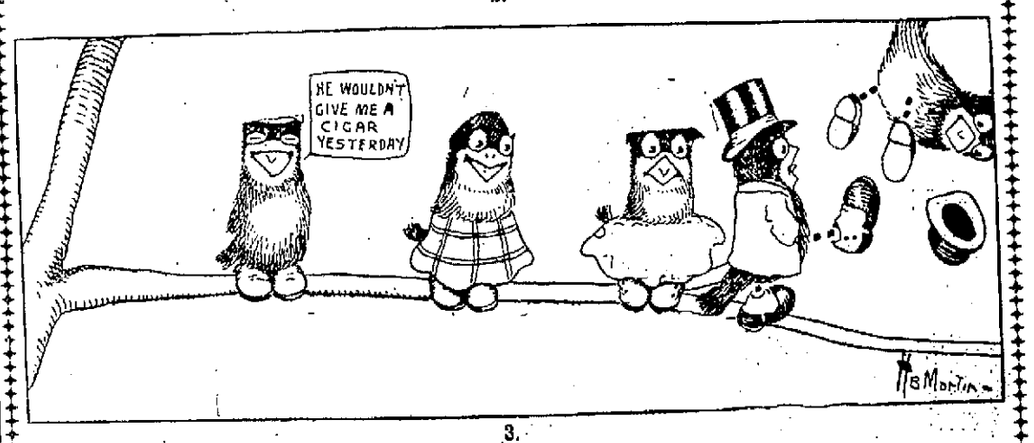

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COMRADES.

"Please, mum, wont youse give me brudder Willie here somethin' to eat?"

"Why don't you ask for yourself?"

"Oh, Willie's de soul of generosity, mum. He'll whack up wid me."

CHIVALROUS.

"I hope you are good to your little sister?"

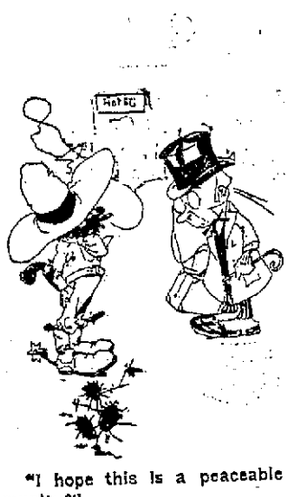
"You bet I am! I jest licked a feller fer sayin' he didn't admire her style o' beauty."

DIFFERENT VIEWS.

THE MODEL—I don't think that picture flatters me.

THE ARTIST—You flatter yourself.

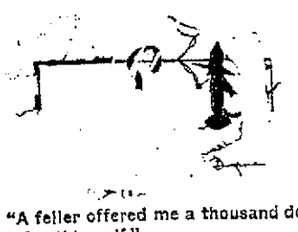
ENFORCED PEACE.



"I hope this is a peaceable community?"

"You betcherlife it is, stranger. I'm the Sheriff, an' anybody thet disturbs the peace is liable to git disturbed some himself.

A BARGAIN SPOILED.



"A feller offered me a thousand dollars fer this calf."

"Why didn't ye take it?"

"I would, only the keeper from the asylum come along jest then an' took the feller away."

PERFECTLY RELIABLE.

"What? You gave a stranger five hundred dollars to invest in Wall Street for you? He's a swindler, of course."

"Oh, I guess not. He said his name was Morgan, and I looked him up in Bradstreet. He's all right."

IN SOUTH AMERICA.

CAPTAIN—Here, come back! We're going to have another revolution.

PRIVATE—Gwan! I didn't enlist for no continuous performance.

WONDERFUL!

"Think you're smart, don't you, just 'cause you're goin' to the city on a visit? Why, I've got a cousin that's been there twice."

A TESTIMONIAL.

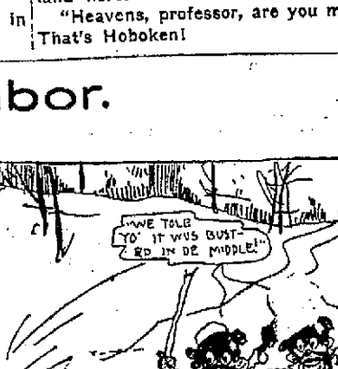
"Gentlemen—My hair was coming out in handfulls, but since I began using your Matchless Hair Invigorator it has stopped falling out entirely."

IT CANNOT BE.

"But, Meestaire Brown, ze book is very propaire."

"Impossible! Why, it's printed in French."

SOMETHING DOING.



DEACON BONES—I heah somebody done broke into Mistah Brown's chicking coop last night.

MOSE JACKSON—I hope yo' don't s'pect me, deacon?

DEACON BONES—I wont say I does, an' I wont say I doesn't, but I invites mahself to eat dinnah wiv yo' to-day, jes' de same.

HE'D BEEN THERE.

THE PROFESSOR—I think we will land here.

"Heavens, professor, are you mad? That's Hoboken!

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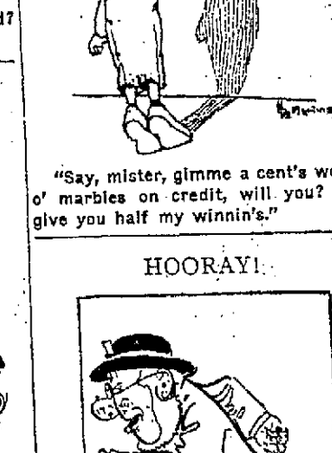
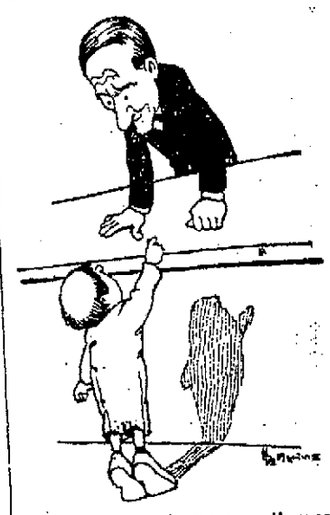


"Do you know that little boy of mine says some of the brightest things you ever heard?"

"He does, eh? Doesn't take after his father much, does he?"

A BUSINESS PROPOSITION.



"Say, mister, gimme a cent's worth o' marbles on credit, will you? I'll give you half my winnin's."

HOORAY!

FARMER WAYBACK—By chucks, ter think thet I've been in Noo York town fer three hull hours an' aint been buncoed yet!

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"TO THE SMALLER LAD. BY ADJUSTING IT BYACTLY IN THE CENTER—THUS—
"LOOK OUT DAR! DE POLES BUSTED IN DE MIDDLE!"
MILK
"YO' LET DAT BUCKET 'LONE!
"WE TOLE YO' IT WUS BUST-ED IN DE MIDDLE!"